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PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TRENDS

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May, 1981 - In Summary

All Programs - Expenditures recorded a peak level in May at $87,645,420. The monthly increase of $9,668,520 was for higher medical allowances due primarily to retroactive rate adjustments for patients in nursing homes. Maintenance costs declined in May for General Assistance and AFDC recipients, but increased in Emergency Assistance (adjustments for utility costs) and Supplemental Aid recipients.

The previous peak in total expenditures was in December, 1980 when the total was $85,125,243. Each of the December and May total monthly expenditures convert to an annual rate of over one billion dollars.

Persons receiving assistance in May, 1981 was 232,204, 1,807 (-0.8%) below April but 21,227 (+10.1%) above May, 1980. The AFDC and GA maintenance programs account for both the monthly and annual trend.

Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) - For the first month since November, 1979, cases receiving payment reversed its uninterrupted climb and decreased 227 (0.4%) to 55,784. The largest decline occurred within the Unemployed Parent category, which dropped 117 cases, thus representing the first break in its upward trend which began September, 1979. The unemployed parent decline marks a sharp departure from the six-month period beginning with November, 1980 through April, 1981, in which cases increased an average of 230 per month. Statewide, the three urban counties were responsible for the overall case decline with 224 (0.8%) fewer cases. Paid cases within the rural and suburban counties remained stable with insignificant changes of -11 and a +8 respectively.

Net payments in May were $17,856,864, a slight decrease of $21,116 (0.1%). Payments changed relatively little despite fewer cases paid and an increase in IV-D collections of $141,041. The factor responsible for this phenomenon was a rise in foster institutional care costs of $238,726. These additional costs were incurred by Ramsey County for the payment of overdue bills (dating to July, 1979) which were unpaid due to computer problems.

A total of 3,402 applications were received in May, a decrease of 220 (6.1%) from April, 1981 and 134 (4.1%) higher than in May, 1980.

Approvals totalled 3,054, with reopenings surpassing new cases by 100 or 47.0% of the total.

Emergency Assistance (EA) - This program advanced during May in cases, recipients and payments. This is the fourth consecutive month of increase and is attributable to the growth of the AFDC component which rose to 1,106 families, an increase of 226 (25.7%). The non-AFDC segment by comparison was quite stable, advancing by only eight families, to 384.

Recipients totalled 5,107 in May, 814 (19.0%) above April's level and 662 (14.9%) more than one year ago. AFDC persons represented 72.7% of all recipients during May in contrast to one year ago when they represented 43.1%. Most of the

recipient advance occurred in the urban counties, which increased by 760 (26.8%) to 3,595. Hennepin County alone added 561 recipients to reach 2,001, an increase of 39.0% over the previous month. Ramsey County also recorded increases, rising 252 recipients (21.6%) to 1,419. St. Louis County, however, declined by 53 recipients (23.2%) to total 175. The suburban and rural counties displayed only minute increases.

Monthly expenditures totalled $443,115. This is $96,818 (28.0%) ahead of April and $66,430 (17.6%) more than one year ago. Once again, the emergency of Utilities stood in the forefront, reaching $264,309 and representing 59.6% of all expenditures. High utility rates are not unusual during this time of year. However, the setting of two simultaneous records by this emergency is noteworthy since its typical peak is only one month in duration.

The majority of these emergencies (80.2%) occurred in the urban counties, with Hennepin alone accounting for 56.3% of the urban total and 45.1% of the state total. The majority of their April to May advance was on behalf of AFDC families whose utility needs reached $101,258.32 during May, an increase of $51,123.88 (102%) from the previous month. Ramsey County also recorded increased costs for these recipients, rising $35,819 (80.2%) to $80,473.44. St. Louis expended only $4,678 for AFDC families, $36 (0.85) less than April.

AFDC families in Hennepin and Ramsey Counties required assistance for utilities to a greater extent than did AFDC families in St. Louis County. This emergency during May involved 1.9% of the AFDC case load in Hennepin County, 2.5% in Ramsey County and 0.4% in St. Louis County. The balance of the state represented approximately 0.7% while statewide the utilization by this group was approximately 1.2%.

Eviction from shelter, the second most prevalent emergency, cost $71,342 in May. Hennepin County again experienced most of the costs, $49,530.00 (69.4%). Of this sum, $38,608 was for AFDC families. The degree of utilization by AFDC families is noteworthy in that it shows this problem as a Hennepin County phenomenon. Hennepin County's AFDC families represent 0.89% of the case load while Ramsey and St. Louis Counties are 0.06% and 0.05% respectively. The suburban and rural counties together represent approximately 0.16%. The reason for Hennepin County's high rate is unclear; however, administrative practice may be a factor.

Minnesota Supplemental Aid (MSA) - May was characterized by a decline in the number of MSA recipients. These recipients totalled 10,392, 73 (0.7%) fewer than April and 224 (2.1%) under one year ago. Expenditures by contrast failed to follow suit and advanced $26,120 (2.7%) to $977,151, a level $140,983 (16.9%) higher than May, 1980.

The average grant totalled $94.03 and represents the fifth continuous month of advance. The major factor behind this increase was the Aged category, which changed by $4.71 (6.8%) to average $74.04 per recipient during May. However, the Disabled category also increased, advancing by an average of $2.41 (2.4%) to $103.02.

The decline in case load during the month occurred in Dodge (-19), Hennepin (-11), Ramsey (-13), St. Louis (-3), and Waseca (-18) Counties. The change within the urban counties can be construed as normal fluctuation. The declines in the two rural counties, however, are due to their practice of making payments for clothing and personal needs at quarterly intervals, as in April.

Expenditures in May reached a record $977,151. Two factors can be identified as responsible for this advance. The primary factor was an increase in corrective payments in Hennepin ($16,516) and Washington Counties ($6,255) compared with April. These changes represented retroactive rate adjustments for nursing home recipients. However, the higher April refunds and cancellations in several counties (Cass +$6,734 and Ramsey +$15,943) also reduced the previous month's payment total and provided an additional margin for contrast.

General Assistance (GA)- The number of General Assistance recipients remained at a high level this May. Even though there was a 6.4% decline from April, the May 1981 total of 17,783 recipients is 29.2% above the average May total for the previous four years. Part of the high level of GA recipients may be attributed to economic conditions in Minnesota. The number of unemployed persons (an economic indicator) in the state is estimated at 106,800 this May, which is 17.6% above the May average for the previous four years. The larger relative increase in GA recipients appears to indicate that there is an increase in GA recipients which is not attributable to the higher unemployment. This nonunemployment-related pattern is also indicated by the fact that the correlation between GA recipients and unemployment has been lower in recent years than it was in the past.

The application activity shows the typical downward trend for this time of year. There were 11% fewer applications received in May than in April. Three thousand eight hundred and five (3,805) applications were approved and 4,368 cases were closed. Those changes result in fewer cases in the following month.

The emergency fuel assistance paid via GA for the 1980-81 heating season was $77,429.67. This money was paid for 472 cases in which there were 841 persons. ~~(Refer to the Emergency Fuel Assistance Table for county data.)~~ There were 171 recipients in the urban counties, 234 in the suburban counties and 436 in the rural counties.

Medical Assistance (MA) - The MA Program in May advanced in the numbers of persons served (+2.2%) and expenditures (+17.5%). Expenditures, totalling $65,507,257, were the highest ever recorded and the average expenditure per person, at $470.73, shared this distinction, too.

The recipient increase during the month was prompted by a greater utilization of the program by AFDC recipients. These increases involved 2,596 individuals and represented 86.4% of the monthly recipient change. May's recipient level of 139,162 was 16,606 (13.1%) higher than one year ago. Increased medical needs by AFDC recipients accounted for 14,230 (85.7%) of the annual change.

May's expenditure, at $65,507,257, was $9,768,591 (17.5%) above April and $18,735,649 (40.1%) greater than one year ago. Part of the change was attri-

butable to retroactive rate adjustments in nursing homes. These adjustments totalled $3,114,931 in May, an increase of $1,061,104 (51.7%) from April.

During May, the recipient utilization was 60.3%. The following table outlines the utilization rates for the month and compares these rates with those of May, 1980.

Eligibility Category	Recipients	Eligibles	Utilization Rate	
			May, 1981	May, 1980
OAA-SSI	8,485	11,408	74.4%	72.1%
AB-SSI	288	400	72.0	73.3
AD-SSI	12,762	15,720	81.2	80.0
AFDC	78,193	154,638	50.6	46.5
OAA-MAO	23,271	27,988	83.1	85.2
AB-MAO	121	140	86.4	89.4
AD-MAO	7,761	8,521	91.1	89.9
AFDC Related	1,554	2,382	65.2	62.7
Needy Children	6,727	9,730	69.1%	77.4%
	139,162	230,927	60.3%	58.4%

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS
(excluding Food Stamps, General Assistance Medical Care and Supplemental Security Income)

May, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Total Recipients	Total Expenditures	Average Expenditures Per Person
May, 1980	210,977	$ 64,876,281	$ 307.50
June	218,516	76,058,226	348.07
July	213,540	71,731,931	335.92
August	221,533	72,088,594	325.41
September	221,992	71,512,262	322.14
October	225.491	72,903,076	323.31
November	221,832	65,142,709	293.66
December	230,822	85,125,243	368.79
January, 1981	228,931	74,320,705	324.64
February	231,474	75,220,485	324.96
March	234,684	72,163,521	307.49
April	234,011	77,976,900	333.22
May, 1981	232,204	$ 87,645,420	$ 377.45

Average 226,252 Total $ 901,889,072 Average $ 332.18

Average $ 75,157,423

Supplemental Security Income

May, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Recipients	Expenditures	Average Grant
May, 1980	31,887	$ 3,135,775	$ 98.34
June	31,644	3,541,896	111.93
July	31,597	3,542,242	112.11
August	31,573	3,548,645	112.39
September	31,500	3,540,854	112.41
October	31,440	3,542,627	112.68
November	31,331	3,535,907	112.86
December	31,201	3,521,770	112.87
January, 1981	31,131	3,524,639	113.22
February	30,977	3,512,318	113.38
March	30,961	3,516,065	113.56
April	30,909	3,523,040	113.98
May, 1981	30,842	$ 3,518,118	$ 114.07

AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN *

May, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Average Net Per Case	Expenditure Per Person
May, 1980	50,147	135,541	$ 14,990,455	$ 298.93	$ 110.60
June	50,475	136,791	14,897,789	295.15	108.91
July	51,281	138,759	16,684,257	325.35	120.24
August	52,243	142,170	17,257,442	330.33	121.39
September	52,870	143,676	17,199,984	325.33	119.71
October	53,460	144,793	17,396,988	325.42	120.15
November	53,603	144,944	17,363,383	323.93	119.79
December	53,856	145,634	16,954,516	314.82	116.42
January, 1981	54,471	147,664	17,420,320	319.81	117.97
February	55,062	149,657	17,916,037	325.38	119.72
March	55,565	151,408	17,662,085	317.87	116.66
April	56,011	152,775	17,877,980	319.18	117.02
May, 1981	55,784	151,830	$ 17,856,864	$ 320.11	$ 117.61

CASES AND PAYMENTS BY SUB-PROGRAM

	Families	Persons	Children	Caretakers	Total Net Payments	Avg. Grant Per Case	Avg. Grant Per Person
Total	55,784	151,830	99,458	52,372	$17,856,864	$ 320.11	$ 117.61
AFDC Protective Money Payment	547	1,591	1,182	409	212,416	388.33	133.51
AFDC Payments to Children in Foster Homes	1,178	1,582	1,582	--	502,418	426.50	317.59
AFDC Payments to Children in Institutions	183	191	191	--	341,021	1,863.50	1,785.45
AFDC Payments to Unemployed Parents	4,413	18,492	9,788	8,704	1,935,024	438.49	104.65
AFDC Payments to Unborn	2,010	3,254	2,015	1,239	489,026	243.30	150.29
AFDC Payments to Other Children	48,400	126,720	84,700	42,020	$14,376,959	$ 297.04	$ 113.45

SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTS

Type of Special Needs	Cases	Persons	Payments
Major Home Repair	14	54	$ 4,647
Repair of Major Appliance	21	63	1,036
Supplementary Dietary Needs	22	65	1,436
Replacement of Essential Household Furnishings or Major Appliances	239	766	24,002
TOTAL	296	948	$ 31,121

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - May, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Average Net Expenditure Per Case	Average Net Expenditure Per Person
May, 1980	1,288	4,445	$ 376,685	$ 292.46	$ 84.74
June	1,444	5,052	371,044	256.96	73.44
July	1,707	5,835	440,506	258.06	75.50
August	1,613	5,490	393,260	243.81	64.61
September	1,763	6,087	459,990	260.92	75.57
October	1,828	6,152	502,040	274.64	81.61
November	1,174	4,204	292,319	248.99	69.53
December	1,277	4,260	314,980	246.66	73.94
January, 1981	1,180	3,986	300,883	254.99	75.48
February	1,093	3,548	268,512	245.67	75.68
March	1,118	3,672	305,996	273.70	83.34
April	1,264	4,293	346,297	273.97	80.67
May, 1981	1,482	5,107	$ 443,115	$ 298.99	$ 86.76

SUB-PROGRAM AND DEFINED EMERGENCIES

	Families	Persons	Adults	Children	Total Net Payment	Av. Grant Per Case	Maintenance	Medical
Total	1,482	5,107	1,879	3,228	$ 443,115	$ 298.99	$ 441,980	$ 1,135
AFDC Families	1,106	3,713	1,298	2,415	334,603	302.53	334,545	58
Other Families	376	1,394	581	813	108,512	288.59	107,435	1,077

Defined Emergency	Families	Persons	Expenditures
Fire	7	36	$ 2,992
Strike	5	16	928
Illness	7	26	1,488
Accident	8	28	1,943
Death	8	23	1,626
Eviction from Shelter	228	694	71,342
Migrant Family in Need	38	153	6,977
No Employment	37	137	11,994
Utilities	784	2,786	264,309
Emergency Fuel	16	61	4,110
No Resources*	580	1,808	43,337
Other	172	574	32,069
		Total	$ 443,115
		Money Payments	$ 64,359
		Vendor Payments	$ 378,756

MINNESOTA SUPPLEMENTAL AID - May, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Expenditure Per Person
May, 1980	10,616	$836,167	$78.76
June	10,593	885,463	83.59
July	10,460	932,038	89.10
August	10,394	890,359	85.66
September	10,439	843,875	80.84
October	10,478	836,338	79.82
November	10,393	872,394	83.94
December	10,390	906,986	87.29
January, 1981	10,493	956,893	91.19
February	10,411	957,577	91.98
March	10,401	962,024	92.49
April	10,450	951,031	91.01
May, 1981	10,392	$977,151	$94.03

BY SUB-PROGRAM

	Recipients	Cost	Average Grant
Aged	3,082	$228,177	$ 74.04
Blind	162	$ 12,561	$ 77.54
Disabled	7,148	$736,413	$103.02

MINNESOTA GENERAL ASSISTANCE * - May, 1981

TRENDS

				Average Expenditure	
Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Expenditures	Per Case	Per Person
May, 1980	12,078	13,696	$1,901,366	$157.42	$138.83
June	12,819	14,520	1,949,357	152.07	134.25
July	12,951	14,644	1,992,198	153.83	136.04
August	14,301	16,073	2,450,530	171.35	152.46
September	14,579	16,336	2,535,381	173.91	155.20
October	15,112	16,855	2,545,188	168.42	151.00
November	14,432	15,969	2,540,874	176.06	159.11
December	15,357	17,276	2,743,139	178.62	158.78
January, 1981	16,362	18,209	2,869,428	175.37	157.58
February	16,843	18,694	2,959,627	175.72	158.32
March	17,471	19,444	3,144,557	179.99	161.72
April	17,059	19,003	3,062,926	179.55	161.18
May, 1981	16,063	17,783	$2,861,033	$178.11	$160.89

BY CASE TYPE

	Recipients	Cost	Average Grant
Single	15,027	$2,576,337	$171.45
Families with Children	1,630	$ 163,408	$100.25
Families with Adults Only	1,126	$ 121,287	$107.71

* Includes post-closing cases and payments.

GA Subprogram Payment Trends

	Emergency Need[4]	Special Need[2,7]	Board & Room[2,5]	Unwed Mother[1,2,3]	State Hospital[6]	Battered Women's Shelter Care	Emergency Fuel Assistance	Non-Specified Need Type	Total
1980 August	$140,180	$13,227	$400,730	$7,114	$7,429	$27,823	$ 0	$1,854,027	$2,450,530
September	152,515	17,985	405,981	8,071	6,123	67,473	0	1,877,233	2,535,381
October	131,332	14,074	593,250	7,860	6,084	77,466	9,639	1,705,484	2,545,188
November	113,240	12,499	616,649	7,244	5,706	71,775	19,129	1,694,633	2,540,874
December	157,629	15,364	631,359	9,085	6,668	83,745	15,384	1,823,906	2,743,139
1981 January	155,398	14,855	669,727	5,844	6,406	74,975	6,194	1,936,029	2,869,428
February	130,109	14,607	702,211	4,971	7,761	59,189	11,218	2,029,561	2,959,627
March	130,721	13,935	743,659	5,269	7,655	77,991	9,098	2,156,227	3,144,557
April	112,115	13,191	751,362	5,762	7,858	90,348	6,768	2,075,523	3,062,926
May	119,418	15,654	730,162	4,608	9,246	72,375	166	1,909,404	2,861,033

(1)Ramsey does not report this.
(2)St. Louis does not report this.
(3)Anoka does not report this.
(4)Ramsey did not report this prior to November 1980.
(5)Ramsey did not report this prior to October 1980.
(6)St. Louis County did not report this prior to March 1981.
(7)Ramsey County did not report this prior to May 1981.

NOTE: Rows may not add to totals due to rounding.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - May, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Recipients(1)	Expenditures	Average Expenditure Per Person
May, 1980	123,096	$ 46,771,608	$ 379.96
June	141,594	57,954,573	409.30
July	118,456	51,682,932	436.30
August	128,541	51,097,004	397.52
September	125,712	50,473,032	401.50
October	134,519	51,622,522	383.76
November	121,900	44,073,739	361.56
December	156,465	64,205,622	410.35
January, 1981	131,952	52,773,181	399.94
February	137,246	53,118,732	387.03
March	134,186	50,088,859	373.28
April	136,234	55,738,666	409.14
May, 1981	139,162	$ 65,507,257	$ 470.73

(1) Recipient counts represent the number of persons for whom services were paid through the State Centralized Medicaid Payments System. Excluded from the count are persons for whom only the Buy-In Premium payment was made.

RECIPIENTS AND EXPENDITURES BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY

	Eligible Persons	Recipients	Expenditures
Concurrently Receiving AFDC	154,638	78,193	$ 9,646,494
Concurrently Receiving MSA/SSI			
Aged	11,408	8,485	4,089,048
Blind	400	288	179,828
Disabled	15,720	12,762	12,118,673
MA-Only Recipients			
Aged	27,988	23,271	25,705,113
Blind	140	121	112,791
Disabled	8,521	7,761	10,732,336
Families with Children			
AFDC Related	2,382	1,554	410,073
Needy Children	9,730	6,727	2,512,901
Total	230,927	139,162	$ 65,507,257

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS AND EXPENDITURES
by Category of Service (1)

May, 1981

SERVICE CATEGORY	RECIPIENTS	EXPENDITURES	FYTD EXPENDITURES
Inpatient Hospital, General	7,134	$ 9,892,686	$ 80,044,476
Inpatient Hospital, T.B.	--	--	--
Inpatient Hospital, Mental	--	--	--
Crippled Children's Hospital/Convalescent	--	--	--
Mental Health Service	1,368	98,904	1,056,714
Outpatient Hospital, General	21,763	1,451,616	12,776,116
HMO	593	25,430	210,327
Rehabilitation Services	312	61,396	510,792
Nursing Home, Skilled	16,517	18,854,871	179,475,714
Nursing Home, T.B.	--	--	--
Nursing Home, ICF-MR	3,732	4,717,583	45,721,837
Nursing Home, ICF-I	11,752	10,021,195	96,664,709
Nursing Home, ICF-II	1,688	974,236	9,266,604
P.T., O.T., S.T., Audiology in Nursing Homes	3,101	1,010,038	9,607,068
Home Health Service	2,612	261,070	2,773,768
Crippled Child Service	57	1,500	13,730
Buy-In/Health Insurance	16,206	160,520	1,879,502
Independent Lab/X-Ray	2,712	26,946	208,999
Public Health Clinic Service	2,229	38,312	466,647
Recipient Recovery (2)	--	-148,384	-3,439,892
Family Planning Service	5,721	173,005	2,056,411
State Institution, MR (ICF)	2,349	8,091,873	57,757,217
State Institution, MI/CD (Mental Hospital)	453	1,458,988	8,872,921
Prescribed Drugs	78,186	2,284,261	22,871,795
Medical Supplies	7,849	408,379	3,923,314
Ambulance Service/Medical Transportation	4,366	293,650	2,875,011
EPSDT (3)	1,556	53,780	548,376
Physician/Osteopathic Service	68,382	3,365,990	34,878,256
Dental Services	18,854	1,197,902	12,272,085
Optometric Services	3,945	180,281	1,985,241
Psychology	1,665	202,603	1,530,730
Nursing Services	362	175,410	1,720,390
Physical Therapy	170	22,036	259,212
Speech Therapy	277	35,181	414,681
Occupational Therapy	4	1,496	24,960
Podiatrist Service	1,977	45,629	480,733
Chiropractor Service	1,486	65,182	635,220
Audiologist	103	3,360	32,609
Osteopathic Services	--	--	--
Other	--	--	4,941
TOTAL	139,162	$ 65,506,922	$ 590,381,211

(1)This table represents state Medicaid system payments plus payments made by counties to primarily medical vendors not covered by the central payments system. Also, in this table, each person is counted under all service categories for which payment is made in his/her behalf during the month.

(2)Recipient recoveries represent collections such as estate settlements, tort recoveries, etc. ... generally third party collections which cannot be tied directly to a specific service billing. The dollar values under this category are always negative.

(3)An additional $24,332 was paid out for EPSDT services during the month; however, these charges were billed in a different fashion and are included under other service types such as Public Health Clinic, Physician/Osteopathic Services, etc. Existing reports do not break these charges out separately.

RECIPIENTS OF NURSING HOME CARE
BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY
May, 1981

	SNF		ICF-I		ICF-II		ICF-MR		TOTAL	
	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
RECEIVING SSI										
Aged	1,049	$ 1,426,788.21	1,021	$ 1,079,076.57	125	$ 89,699.83	39	$ 47,912.07	2,234	$ 2,643,476.68
Blind	27	38,904.21	27	59,889.95	5	5,580.45	9	14,916.28	68	119,290.89
Disabled	645	973,007.21	2,091	5,104,367.23	190	148,405.84	1,449	2,282,479.35	4,375	8,508,259.63
Total Receiving SSI	1,721	2,438,699.63	3,139	6,243,333.75	320	243,686.12	1,497	2,345,307.70	6,677	11,271,027.20
MA - ONLY										
Adults 65+										
Medically Needy	6,176	$ 6,871,433.12	3,576	$ 3,140,225.13	485	$250,035.37	5	$ 6,722.69	10,242	$10,268,416.31
Categorically Needy	6,742	7,701,986.27	4,324	3,791,437.99	629	340,307.40	12	12,791.38	11,707	11,846,523.04
Adults Blind										
Medically Needy	11	13,369.83	9	10,618.98	0	0.00	4	6,608.70	24	30,597.51
Categorically Needy	27	31,557.80	22	28,757.24	3	1,770.90	3	4,705.50	55	66,791.44
Adults Disabled										
Medically Needy	594	733,254.72	919	1,700,791.36	76	41,448.62	560	756,689.64	2,149	3,232,184.34
Categorically Needy	873	1,049,462.65	1,527	2,972,989.19	148	96,987.48	1,054	1,400,105.45	3,602	5,519,544.77
Needy Children	6	10,942.40	83	200,637.91	0	0.00	106	181,631.02	195	393,211.33
Unknown	1	$ 1,162.70	0	$ 0.00	0	$ 0.00	0	$ 0.00	1	$ 1,162.70
TOTAL MA - ONLY	14,430	$16,413,169.49	10,460	$11,845,457.80	1,341	$730,549.77	1,744	$2,369,254.38	27,975	$31,358,431.44
UNKNOWN	3	$ 4,164.70	13	$ 24,275.61	0	$ 0.00	2	$ 3,021.00	18	$ 31,461.31
GRAND TOTAL	16,154	$18,856,033.82	13,612	$18,113,067.16	1,661	$974,235.89	3,243	$4,717,583.08	34,670	$42,660,919.95

MINNESOTA PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

ACTIVITY

May, 1981

TABLE I - PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS: APPLICATIONS AND CASES

May, 1981

PROGRAM BY MONTH AND YEAR

ACTIVITY	AFDC			GENERAL ASSISTANCE			MINNESOTA SUPPLEMENTAL AID		
	May, '81	April, '81	May, '80	May, '81	April, '81	May, '80	May, '81	April, '81	May, '80
Applications Received	3,402	3,622	3,268	4,347	4,885	4,209	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	3,881	4,150	3,712	4,777	5,335	4,681	N/A	N/A	N/A
Applications Disposed Of:	3,373	3,671	3,249	4,337	4,905	4,253	276	300	306
Formal Appl. Approved	2,770	3,009	2,706	3,805	4,317	3,807	263	280	294
Transfers between Counties	284	276	214	--	--	--	--	--	--
Denials	319	386	329	532	588	446	13	20	12
Total Cases Open During Month	57,402	57,716	51,474	18,233	19,303	14,645	11,263	11,264	11,357
Number Receiving No Payment	1,618	1,705	1,327	3,010*	3,328*	3,450	871	814	741
Number Receiving Payment	55,784	56,011	50,147	15,223	15,975	11,195	10,392	10,450	10,616
Cases Closed During Month	3,306	3,085	3,001	4,368	4,875	4,089	218	261	240

ACTIVITY	MEDICAL ASSISTANCE/CONCURRENTLY RECEIVING SSI								
	65 AND OVER			BLIND			DISABLED		
	May, '81	April, '81	May, '80	May, '81	April, '81	May, '80	May, '81	April, '81	May, '80
Applications Received	92	122	149	7	1	3	186	317	266
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	177	218	205	8	4	6	400	508	489
Applications Disposed Of:	104	133	135	6	3	3	230	294	250
Formal Appl. Approved	101	129	134	6	3	3	213	282	230
Formal Appl. Not Approved	3	4	5	0	0	0	17	12	20
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Cases Open During Month	11,408	11,401	11,706	400	396	404	15,720	15,716	15,630
Number Receiving No Payment	2,923	3,121	3,258	112	117	108	2,958	3,712	3,127
Number Receiving Payment	8,485	8,280	8,448	288	279	296	12,762	12,004	12,503
Cases Closed During Month	119	121	148	8	2	6	222	207	248

*This is unknown for Ramsey County.

Table I Cont.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ONLY APPLICATIONS AND CASES

PROGRAM	65 AND OVER			ADULTS/BLIND			ADULTS/DISABLED		
Month and Year	May, 1981	Apr.,1981	May, 1980	May, 1981	Apr.,1981	May, 1980	May, 1981	Apr.,1981	May,198
Applications Received	856	1,038	1,123	2	7	0	221	329	263
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	2,382	2,723	2,703	4	9	2	720	845	849
Applications Disposed Of:	1,009	1,197	1,133	1	7	1	316	346	341
Formal Appl. Approved	832	1,019	946	1	6	1	260	271	250
Formal Appl. Not Approved	177	178	187	0	1	0	56	75	91
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Cases Open During Month	27,988	27,966	26,441	140	145	132	8,521	8,542	7,826
Number Receiving No Payment	4,717	3,319	3,901	19	26	14	760	1,392	791
Number Receiving Payment	23,271	24,647	22,540	121	119	118	7,761	7,150	7,035
Cases Closed During Month	817	806	743	2	6	1	238	224	199

PROGRAM	AFDC RELATED			CHILDREN UNDER 21/REGULAR		
Month and Year	May, 1981	April, 1981	May, 1980	May, 1981	April, 1981	May, 1980
Applications Received	140	176	139	905	1,223	1,093
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	312	361	306	1,864	2,310	2,029
Applications Disposed Of:	161	189	139	1,070	1,351	1,109
Formal Appl. Approved	127	140	113	812	1,042	851
Formal Appl. Not Approved	34	49	26	258	309	258
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Cases Open During Month	1,021	1,012	1,974	6,757	6,994	8,983
Number Receiving No Payment	44	34	736	1,395	1,659	2,028
Number Receiving Payment	977	978	1,238	5,362	5,335	6,955
Cases Closed During Month	123	117	105	934	1,016	815

Table II MINNESOTA PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TRENDS - May, 1981

	May, 1981	CHANGE FROM April, 1981		CHANGE FROM May, 1980	
ALL PROGRAMS (a)		Number or Amount	Percent	Number or Amount	Percent
Persons Receiving Payment	232,204	- 1,807	- 0.8%	+ 21,227	+10.1%
Total Payments	$87,645,420	+$9,668,520	+12.4%	+$22,769,139	+35.1%
Aid to Families with Dependent Children					
Families (Cases) Receiving Payment	55,784	- 227	- 0.4%	+ 5,637	+11.2%
Children	99,458	- 718	- 0.7%	+ 8,769	+ 9.7%
Caretakers	52,372	- 227	- 0.4%	+ 7,520	+16.8%
Total Net Payments	$17,856,864	-$ 21,116	- 0.1%	+$ 2,866,409	+19.1%
Average Grant Per Family	$ 320.11	+$ .93	+ 0.3%	+$ 21.18	+ 7.1%
Average Grant Per Person	$ 117.61	+$ .59	+ 0.5%	+$ 7.01	+ 6.3%
Emergency Assistance					
Families Receiving Payment	1,482	+ 218	+17.2%	+ 194	+15.1%
Persons Receiving Payment	5,107	+ 814	+19.0%	+ 662	+14.9%
AFDC Persons Receiving Payment (b)	3,713	+ 860	+30.1%	+ 1,665	+81.3%
Total Net Payments	$ 443,115	+$ 96,818	+28.0%	+$ 66,430	+17.6%
Average Payment Per Family	$ 298.99	+$ 25.02	+ 9.1%	+$ 6.53	+ 2.2%
Supplemental Aid					
Persons Receiving Payment	10,392	- 58	- 0.6%	- 224	- 2.1%
Total Net Payments	$ 977,151	+$ 26,120	+ 2.7%	+$ 140,983	+16.9%
Average Grant Per Person	$ 94.03	+$ 3.02	+ 3.3%	+$ 15.27	+19.4%
General Assistance (c)					
Cases Receiving Payment	16,063	- 996	- 5.8%	+ 3,985	+33.0%
Family Cases	1,036	- 107	- 9.4%	+ 225	+27.7%
Persons in Family Case	2,756	- 331	-10.7%	+ 327	+13.5%
Single Cases	15,027	- 889	- 5.6%	+ 3,760	+33.4%
Total Gross Payments	$ 2,861,033	-$ 201,893	- 6.6%	+$ 959,667	+50.5%
Avg. Grant Per Family Case	$ 274.80	-$ 9.57	- 3.4%	+$ 41.94	+18.0%
Avg. Grant Per Family Person	$ 103.30	-$ 1.99	- 1.9%	+$ 25.55	+32.9%
Avg. Grant Per Single Case	$ 171.45	-$ .57	- 0.3%	+$ 19.46	+12.8%
Medical Assistance					
Total MA-Only Persons	39,434	+ 117	+ 0.3%	+ 1,548	+ 4.1%
Total Persons Concurrently Receiving SSI	21,535	+ 972	+ 4.7%	+ 288	+ 1.4%
Total Persons Concurrently Receiving MSA (b)	10,164	+ 627	+ 6.6%	- 242	- 2.3%
Total Persons Concurrently Receiving AFDC (b)	78,193	+ 2,596	+ 3.4%	+ 14,230	+22.2%
Total Net Payments	$65,507,257	+$9,768,591	+17.5%	+$18,735,649	+40.1%
Average Grant Per Person	$ 470.73	+$ 61.59	+15.1%	+$ 90.77	+23.9%

(a) Does not include General Assistance Medical Care, Foster Care or other General Relief Payments.
(b) Excluded when calculating the total persons for all programs.
(c) Includes post-closing persons and cases.

TABLE III

MINNESOTA AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

May, 1981

COUNTY	CASES	CHANGE FROM April, 1981	CARETAKERS	CHILDREN	PAYMENTS	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER FAMILY	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER PERSON
TOTAL STATE	55,784	-227	52,372	99,458	$17,856,863.71	$320.11	$117.61
TOTAL SMSA	39,151	-216	36,755	68,943	$12,566,857.12	$320.98	$118.89
TOTAL URBAN	27,921	-224	26,478	49,416	$ 9,183,470.43	$328.91	$121.00
Hennepin	15,135	-115	14,151	26,776	$ 4,815,140.28	$318.15	$117.65
Ramsey	8,390	- 83	8,096	15,077	2,984,904.97	355.77	128.81
St. Louis	4,396	- 26	4,231	7,563	1,383,425.18	314.70	117.30
TOTAL SUBURBAN	11,230	+ 08	10,277	19,527	$ 3,383,386.69	$301.28	$113.52
Anoka	2,902	+ 39	2,548	4,839	$ 877,678.35	$302.44	$118.81
Benton	297	- 04	289	537	87,384.68	294.22	105.79
Carver	258	- 04	225	440	69,159.03	268.06	104.00
Chisago	365	- 06	329	678	108,848.92	298.22	108.09
Clay	548	+ 19	514	926	168,311.20	307.14	116.88
Dakota	1,961	- 12	1,752	3,312	579,414.70	295.47	114.42
Olmsted	858	+ 04	821	1,458	250,679.31	292.17	110.00
Polk	433	- 13	429	841	137,955.01	318.60	108.63
Scott	370	+ 06	314	670	105,676.86	285.61	107.40
Sherburne	470	- 16	459	856	151,554.46	322.46	115.25
Stearns	914	+ 07	897	1,618	274,143.54	299.94	109.00
Washington	1,119	- 09	1,010	1,915	338,039.66	302.09	115.57
Wright	735	- 03	690	1,437	$ 234,540.97	$319.10	$110.27
TOTAL NOT SMSA	16,633	- 11	15,617	30,515	$ 5,290,006.59	$318.04	$114.67
Aitkin	227	+ 05	244	441	$ 84,894.00	$373.98	$123.93
Becker	498	- 07	444	938	164,408.88	330.14	118.96
Beltrami	843	- 12	722	1,590	271,422.76	321.97	117.40
Big Stone	59	+ 03	45	106	18,594.28	315.16	123.14
Blue Earth	587	- 07	558	995	186,331.46	317.43	119.98
Brown	208	- 12	196	391	61,952.33	297.85	105.54
Carlton	571	+ 10	593	996	186,446.69	326.53	117.34
Cass	538	- 12	523	1,047	207,788.05	386.22	132.35
Chippewa	108	- 02	86	180	29,393.65	272.16	110.50
Clearwater	220	+ 01	191	460	71,395.88	324.53	109.67
Cook	68	+ 03	73	123	20,618.24	303.21	105.20
Cottonwood	117	+ 01	97	203	29,540.14	252.48	98.47
Crow Wing	761	+ 09	845	1,443	261,302.21	343.37	114.21
Dodge	127	- 03	107	226	39,834.54	313.66	119.63
Douglas	218	- 06	219	392	62,097.79	284.85	101.63
Fillmore	142	- 05	109	235	46,338.92	326.33	134.71
Freeborn	408	+ 02	372	685	123,664.59	303.10	117.00
Goodhue	315	- 03	289	580	100,303.03	318.42	115.42
Grant	53	- 01	46	90	13,811.00	260.58	101.55
Houston	129	+ 05	117	235	37,487.25	290.60	106.50
Hubbard	283	+ 04	293	548	97,221.75	343.54	115.60
Isanti	375	+ 07	347	704	118,466.92	315.91	112.72
Itasca	970	- 06	862	1,731	297,646.83	306.85	114.79
Jackson	125	--	100	204	33,437.14	267.50	109.99
Kanabec	179	- 05	168	343	$ 60,082.95	$335.66	$117.58

TABLE III cont. MINNESOTA AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

May, 1981

COUNTY	CASES	CHANGE FROM April, 1981	CARETAKERS	CHILDREN	PAYMENTS	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER FAMILY	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER PERSON
Kandiyohi	434	+ 07	620	776	$155,461.00	$358.21	$111.36
Kittson	40	+ 01	32	69	12,559.33	313.98	124.35
Koochiching	336	- 02	323	604	112,047.05	333.47	120.87
Lac Qui Parle	45	--	39	90	11,612.90	258.06	90.02
Lake	142	+ 03	129	261	42,866.27	301.88	109.91
Lake O' Woods	32	- 05	30	70	10,996.41	343.64	109.96
Le Sueur	221	+ 07	204	404	73,134.32	330.92	120.29
Region VIII No.	398	+ 02	360	734	121,449.52	305.15	111.01
McLeod	193	+ 02	169	348	59,228.09	306.88	114.56
Mahnomen	94	+ 03	75	175	30,147.00	320.71	120.59
Marshall	109	+ 03	90	196	33,562.05	307.91	117.35
Martin	495	+ 12	447	884	151,125.82	305.30	113.54
Meeker	177	+ 01	161	350	56,284.54	317.99	110.15
Mille Lacs	359	+ 01	307	671	110,257.81	307.12	112.74
Morrison	400	- 01	389	750	119,296.30	298.24	104.74
Mower	485	- 12	476	860	139,240.88	287.09	104.22
Nicollet	211	+ 02	188	354	62,208.12	294.83	114.78
Nobles	215	- 01	196	387	64,187.47	298.55	110.10
Norman	51	+ 01	31	98	14,912.50	292.40	115.60
Otter Tail	403	+ 03	324	731	116,519.94	289.13	110.45
Pennington	159	+ 04	134	295	51,288.86	322.57	119.55
Pine	439	- 03	469	876	161,438.89	367.74	120.03
Pipestone	92	+ 03	79	166	28,643.37	311.34	116.91
Pope	102	- 08	100	183	32,966.69	323.20	116.49
Red Lake	30	- 01	20	49	7,796.73	259.89	113.00
Redwood	133	--	116	252	29,881.11	224.67	81.20
Renville	119	+ 04	87	206	32,411.84	272.37	110.62
Rice	436	+ 13	406	834	159,096.00	364.90	128.30
Rock	62	- 02	58	115	18,663.99	301.03	107.88
Roseau	90	--	65	161	27,523.80	305.82	121.79
Sibley	95	- 01	81	171	27,176.00	286.06	107.84
Steele	180	+ 02	158	322	50,505.90	280.59	105.22
Stevens	53	--	50	92	16,243.08	306.47	114.39
Swift	142	+ 01	125	278	42,473.87	299.11	105.39
Todd	286	+ 07	265	537	95,176.17	332.78	118.67
Traverse	34	+ 01	28	63	9,834.00	289.24	108.07
Wabasha	160	- 03	139	286	43,036.24	268.98	101.26
Wadena	197	- 16	207	377	63,942.33	324.58	109.49
Waseca	186	+ 01	176	347	59,371.03	319.20	113.52
Wilkin	89	- 03	80	161	28,138.11	316.16	116.76
Winona	500	- 04	474	901	159,108.23	318.22	115.72
Yellow Medicine	80	- 02	64	145	$ 23,711.75	$296.40	$113.45

TABLE IV

MINNESOTA GENERAL ASSISTANCE
MAY, 1981

COUNTY		TOTAL CASES	TOTAL PERSONS	TOTAL PAYMENTS	SINGLE CASES NUMBER PERSONS	SINGLE CASES AV GRANT P PERSON	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN NUMBER FAMILIES	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN NUMBER PERSONS	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN AV GRANT P PERSON	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY NUMBER FAMILIES	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY NUMBER PERSONS	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY AV GRANT P PERSON
AITKIN		43	54	$ 6,835.35	33	$ 157.97	1	3	$ 69.00	9	18	$ 78.63
ANOKA	(S)	507	541	91,408.72	487	159.70	11	36	320.01	9	18	117.61
BECKER		97	127	16,998.13	79	126.52	7	26	180.86	11	22	104.59
BELTRAMI		110	232	28,350.13	66	164.63	39	156	106.04	5	10	94.20
BENTON	(S)	61	70	8,663.14	55	130.01	2	7	122.86	4	8	81.58
BIG STONE		9	9	1,193.00	9	132.56						
BLUE EARTH		207	234	40,747.32	190	192.85	9	28	84.54	8	16	108.72
BROWN		55	60	9,750.00	53	172.91	2	7	83.71			
CARLTON		146	165	31,027.20	137	204.00	5	20	102.78	4	8	128.00
CARVER	(S)	17	18	3,648.00	16	212.25				1	2	126.00
CASS		73	93	17,265.00	61	175.90	9	26	240.77	3	6	45.83
CHIPPEWA		24	26	3,069.18	22	132.85	1	2	18.00	1	2	55.29
CHISAGO	(S)	74	83	11,804.80	67	151.61	1	4	78.34	6	12	111.12
CLAY	(S)	90	93	14,398.10	87	159.04				3	6	93.67
CLEARWATER		39	49	4,581.44	33	115.35	3	10	44.50	3	6	54.98
COOK		15	15	2,246.61	15	149.77						
COTTONWOOD		38	39	5,501.00	37	140.89				1	2	144.00
CROW WING		175	219	23,674.68	144	123.43	12	37	60.33	19	38	95.97
DAKOTA	(S)	257	307	49,905.00	231	170.37	20	64	136.37	6	12	151.92
DODGE		19	25	3,578.83	16	150.03	2	7	138.04	1	2	106.00
DOUGLAS		39	45	8,347.28	33	209.03	3	6	132.88	3	6	108.67
FILLMORE		20	22	2,996.00	18	151.89				2	4	65.50
FREEBORN		52	59	10,936.80	47	207.66	3	8	99.87	2	4	94.50
GOODHUE		53	57	7,129.31	49	133.25	1	2	25.00	3	6	91.67
GRANT		5	5	855.30	5	171.06						
HENNEPIN	(U)	5,813	6,086	1,023,956.68	5,624	173.59	73	230	101.52	116	232	104.79
HOUSTON		17	18	2,691.54	16	161.85				1	2	51.00
HUBBARD		41	46	6,829.89	36	165.30	1	2	77.50	4	8	90.50
ISANTI		80	94	13,502.25	72	153.07	5	16	111.13	3	6	117.20
ITASCA		243	324	46,594.00	199	170.64	24	85	87.68	20	40	129.58
JACKSON		26	51	4,285.56	18	171.03	6	29	28.94	2	4	91.93
KANABEC		21	29	3,411.16	18	173.66	2	9	6.48	1	2	113.50
KANDIYOHI		112	134	16,053.27	95	136.39	5	15	74.38	12	24	82.52
KITTSON		11	17	3,336.79	9	357.18	2	8	15.27			
KOOCHICHING		102	150	19,300.58	81	155.29	15	57	93.25	6	12	117.25
LAC QUI PARLE		4	5	675.50	3	57.17	1	2	252.00			
LAKE		50	55	10,726.00	48	204.06	1	5	102.60	1	2	209.00
LAKE OF THE WOODS		7	12	603.76	5	65.22	1	5	53.80	1	2	4.34
LE SUEUR		27	32	6,848.28	25	207.38	1	5	271.98	1	2	152.00
REGION VIII NORTH		122	152	19,118.56	105	151.09	8	29	64.70	9	18	76.56
MC LEOD		25	25	3,757.08	25	150.28						
MAHNOMEN		5	17	1,090.87	1	84.77	4	16	62.88			
MARSHALL		5	5	860.35	5	172.07						
F-M-W HSB		139	166	$ 22,101.03	123	$ 154.91	6	23	$ 61.96	10	20	$ 81.11

TABLE IV

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COUNTY		TOTAL CASES	TOTAL PERSONS	TOTAL PAYMENTS	SINGLE CASES NUMBER PERSONS	SINGLE CASES AV GRANT P PERSON	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN NUMBER FAMILIES	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN NUMBER PERSONS	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN AV GRANT P PERSON	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY NUMBER FAMILIES	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY NUMBER PERSONS	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY AV GRANT P PERSON
MEEKER		26	28	3,345.76	25	124.71	1	3	76.00			
MILLE LACS		57	66	7,077.00	48	112.35	1	2	68.50	8	16	96.69
MORRISON		106	122	16,158.50	95	146.10	3	11	66.75	8	16	96.56
MOWER		129	153	21,867.06	112	157.88	7	21	91.19	10	20	113.49
NICOLLET		55	75	11,316.70	47	192.53	6	24	71.74	2	4	136.50
NOBLES		25	25	4,118.00	25	164.72						
NORMAN		3	3	533.50	3	177.83						
OLMSTED	(S)	192	201	30,191.78	184	154.70	3	7	81.43	5	10	115.70
OTTER TAIL		72	109	17,152.06	53	222.60	13	44	97.00	6	12	90.48
PENNINGTON		19	25	3,296.12	15	178.45	1	4	33.44	3	6	80.93
PINE		99	116	19,473.37	82	196.58	4	8	78.63	13	26	104.81
PIPESTONE		20	36	4,193.02	15	170.31	5	21	78.02			
POLK	(S)	80	94	14,966.07	72	176.07	3	12	130.24	5	10	72.61
POPE		16	24	4,902.66	9	215.64	3	7	296.84	4	8	110.50
RAMSEY	(U)	3,294	3,494	583,899.22	3,160	173.90	55	176	93.38	79	158	113.53
RED LAKE		4	4	879.00	4	219.75						
REDWOOD		36	49	5,728.88	29	152.34	4	14	39.13	3	6	127.17
RENVILLE		19	25	4,083.00	17	207.76	2	8	68.88			
RICE		61	71	11,794.11	54	184.92	1	5	51.45	6	12	129.26
ROCK		14	15	2,797.84	13	201.37				1	2	90.00
ROSEAU		26	54	5,586.89	19	178.63	6	33	59.88	1	2	108.50
ST. LOUIS	(U)	1,620	1,786	298,500.76	1,515	177.75	36	133	99.39	69	138	115.85
SCOTT	(S)	65	75	12,551.97	58	189.47	3	9	76.89	4	8	108.87
SHERBURNE	(S)	91	100	14,919.69	85	164.76	2	7	8.57	4	8	106.88
SIBLEY		11	14	2,003.00	9	170.56	2	5	93.60			
STEARNS	(S)	186	208	26,623.98	173	138.31	7	23	54.78	6	12	119.75
STEELE		25	30	4,151.59	22	160.42	2	6	73.67	1	2	90.17
STEVENS		12	12	4,074.00	12	339.50						
SWIFT		7	8	1,198.00	6	161.83				1	2	113.50
TODD		45	51	9,196.90	43	194.60	1	6	94.67	1	2	130.50
TRAVERSE		3	3	711.00	3	237.00						
WABASHA		20	22	3,188.00	18	147.17				2	4	134.75
WADENA		13	21	2,096.13	10	101.90	3	11	97.92			
WASECA		39	50	6,996.41	31	175.95	3	9	65.56	5	10	95.20
WASHINGTON	(S)	219	237	42,369.83	205	187.44	4	12	94.92	10	20	140.25
WILKIN		13	15	2,717.00	11	173.73				2	4	201.50
WINONA		108	115	15,693.44	101	140.03				7	14	110.71
WRIGHT	(S)	147	159	27,995.41	139	186.02	3	10	76.00	5	10	137.80
YELLOW MEDICINE		11	23	2,031.85	7	99.29	3	14	80.06	1	2	108.00
MINNESOTA TOTAL		16,063	17,783	$ 2,861,032.97	15,027	$ 171.45	473	1,630	$ 100.25	563	1,126	$ 107.71
SMSA TOTAL		12,713	13,552	$ 2,255,803.15	12,158	$ 172.82	223	730	$ 110.23	332	664	$ 111.75
URBAN (U)		10,727	11,366	$ 1,906,356.66	10,299	$ 174.30	164	539	$ 98.34	264	528	$ 110.30
SUBURBAN (S)		1,986	2,186	$ 349,446.49	1,859	$ 164.61	59	191	$ 143.80	68	136	$ 117.42
NON-SMSA TOTAL		3,350	4,231	$ 605,229.82	2,869	$ 165.64	250	900	$ 92.16	231	462	$ 101.91

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COUNTY	ADULT CASES	C.T. & CHILD.	TOTAL CASES	CHANGE FROM APR	TOTAL MA PAYMENTS	AFDC MA PAYMENTS	AVG AFDC PERSON	AVG ADULT CASE
TOTAL STATE	25,797	79,175	72,984	+1,519	$26,916,954.55	$ 10,532,675.01	$ 133.03	$ 635.12
TOTAL URBAN	10,725	37,866	33,541	+880	13,164,746.61	5,617,953.75	148.36	703.66
HENNEPIN	5,749	20,617	18,113	+243	7,424,377.19	3,285,473.58	155.35	719.93
RAMSEY	2,567	11,725	9,993	+427	3,982,336.32	1,701,924.89	145.10	768.59
ST LOUIS	2,009	5,520	5,435	+210	1,758,033.10	630,555.28	114.23	561.21
TOTAL RURAL	15,072	41,309	39,443	+639	13,752,207.94	4,914,721.26	118.97	586.35
AITKIN	168	292	335	+15	114,148.80	38,874.40	133.13	448.06
ANOKA	353	3,852	2,723	+124	797,590.87	522,538.31	135.65	779.18
BECKER	368	588	736	-21	229,100.36	70,265.55	119.49	431.61
BELTRAMI	376	723	876	-38	264,728.12	87,409.83	120.89	471.59
BENTON	138	352	371	+16	124,550.42	28,017.33	71.47	699.51
BIG STONE	99	67	141	-9	59,683.53	11,411.54	170.32	487.59
BLUE EARTH	252	698	695	-49	251,322.67	54,805.35	78.51	779.83
BROWN	158	256	319	-3	143,630.85	19,093.69	74.58	788.20
CARLTON	258	700	685	+24	191,020.77	72,937.84	104.19	457.68
CARVER	111	287	303	-14	107,620.26	31,869.74	111.04	682.43
CASS	319	690	723	-1	223,318.23	53,196.46	77.05	533.29
CHIPPEWA	127	140	213	+12	85,930.09	17,090.18	122.07	542.04
CHISAGO	118	474	406	+7	161,730.92	72,724.24	153.42	754.29
CLAY	255	646	656	-16	299,867.88	70,937.93	109.81	857.76
CLEARWATER	193	227	334	-24	80,798.61	24,945.56	109.89	285.39
COOK	23	54	66		14,767.65	7,110.19	131.67	332.93
COTTONWOOD	96	151	192		80,105.32	11,830.99	78.35	711.19
CROW WING	345	1,003	924	+1	315,203.23	140,882.15	140.46	505.27
DAKOTA	359	2,550	1,940	+78	658,038.70	322,157.07	126.33	935.60
DODGE	80	174	177	-3	61,620.39	16,447.46	94.52	564.66
DOUGLAS	245	265	415	-10	184,052.43	68,869.84	259.88	470.13
FARIBAULT	157	219	292	-1	120,513.74	15,559.70	71.04	668.49
FILLMORE	242	139	338	-4	147,453.01	33,507.41	241.06	470.84
FREEBORN	242	505	561	+15	156,854.37	38,312.72	75.86	489.84
GOODHUE	221	432	469	-3	163,826.72	31,297.80	72.44	595.67
GRANT	61	85	109	+3	42,726.23	7,596.96	89.37	575.88
HOUSTON	128	124	213	-7	58,821.00	9,402.99	75.83	386.07
HUBBARD	165	425	403	+14	110,538.51	44,092.34	103.74	402.70
ISANTI	106	497	401	+40	142,325.01	43,056.49	86.63	536.49
ITASCA	400	1,050	1,053	-16	306,130.11	108,341.27	103.18	454.47
JACKSON	73	111	151	-2	69,127.98	22,982.56	207.05	632.12
KANABEC	93	225	228	-4	72,321.90	31,685.01	140.82	436.95
KANDIYOHI	242	572	588	+12	191,784.42	64,096.70	112.05	527.63
KITTSON	85	48	118	+13	76,857.52	4,047.05	84.31	856.59
KOOCHICHING	181	469	460	+7	132,837.17	55,411.71	118.14	427.76
LAC QUI PARLE	88	49	118	+8	61,004.03	1,837.49	37.49	672.34
LAKE	61	217	172	+16	77,382.25	13,782.48	63.51	1,042.61
LAKE OF THE WOODS	31	47	60	+1	22,942.97	1,940.61	41.28	677.49
LE SUEUR	169	280	336	+22	126,742.86	27,164.57	97.01	589.22
LINCOLN	64	45	94	+4	29,981.31	8,338.04	185.28	338.17
LYON	172	318	373	+2	83,594.58	35,361.78	111.20	280.42

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COUNTY	ADULT CASES	C.T. & CHILD.	TOTAL CASES	CHANGE FROM APR	TOTAL MA PAYMENTS	AFDC MA PAYMENTS	AVG AFDC PERSON	AVG ADULT CASE
MCLEOD	157	241	304	+2	$123,716.74	$ 30,926.57	$128.32	$ 591.02
MAHNOMEN	108	92	164	-1	63,836.43	10,096.50	109.74	457.59
MARSHALL	130	123	207	+2	90,968.12	14,849.56	120.72	585.52
MARTIN	131	229	271		114,567.53	23,634.18	103.20	694.14
MEEKER	146	222	279	+17	134,695.40	21,263.69	95.78	776.92
MILLE LACS	203	448	477	+21	133,069.04	42,870.05	95.69	444.33
MORRISON	358	555	665	-1	238,512.51	56,755.26	102.26	507.70
MOWER	256	652	646	+12	215,102.70	70,228.80	107.71	565.91
MURRAY	94	91	147	+4	98,822.07	51,932.06	570.68	498.82
NICOLLET	106	266	269	+9	91,891.28	16,418.39	61.72	712.00
NOBLES	181	277	347	-1	140,918.47	29,211.71	105.45	617.16
NORMAN	131	67	174	+9	101,181.95	7,634.46	113.94	714.10
OLMSTED	367	1,035	1,041	+32	313,858.35	94,275.01	91.08	598.31
OTTER TAIL	469	460	761	+26	321,407.84	78,400.19	170.43	518.13
PENNINGTON	148	189	268	+3	83,643.39	21,099.15	111.63	422.59
PINE	249	595	594	+2	174,573.04	45,573.94	76.59	518.06
PIPESTONE	112	127	185	+8	59,102.55	16,385.64	129.02	381.40
POLK	351	641	716	+22	268,254.20	84,826.67	132.33	522.58
POPE	137	152	228	+16	91,053.16	10,871.91	71.52	585.26
RED LAKE	46	28	67	-2	67,355.91	13,540.25	483.58	1,169.90
REDWOOD	148	124	234	-5	88,943.77	11,648.92	93.94	522.26
RENVILLE	188	127	270	-8	154,322.48	9,215.52	72.56	771.84
RICE	201	575	542	+7	192,089.35	57,927.09	100.74	667.47
ROCK	69	101	124	+9	53,718.22	11,074.96	109.65	618.01
ROSEAU	113	75	161	-3	79,824.17	6,628.42	88.37	647.75
SCOTT	141	461	429	-10	147,759.64	55,797.56	121.03	652.21
SHERBURNE	111	630	480	+12	147,597.40	74,426.85	118.13	659.19
SIBLEY	94	124	172	+20	73,603.83	11,876.66	95.77	656.67
STEARNS	539	1,233	1,256	+59	458,345.18	125,193.82	101.53	618.09
STEELE	123	270	271	+8	87,023.38	20,464.79	75.75	541.12
STEVENS	89	58	125	+1	41,784.35	2,894.32	49.90	436.96
SWIFT	134	174	242	+8	75,585.74	17,009.51	97.75	437.13
TODD	315	433	547	+9	247,393.10	66,208.99	152.90	575.18
TRAVERSE	63	37	85	-7	24,994.15	1,905.17	51.49	366.49
WABASHA	127	152	222	-11	84,872.35	18,168.46	119.52	525.22
WADENA	190	327	365	+9	187,691.58	30,619.42	93.63	826.69
WASECA	91	218	225	+11	88,786.21	34,463.41	158.08	596.95
WASHINGTON	272	1,544	1,201	+76	423,981.03	216,792.48	140.40	761.72
WATONWAN	54	119	129	-13	55,445.64	11,255.35	94.58	818.33
WILKIN	89	123	160	-3	82,377.69	13,166.61	107.04	777.65
WINONA	234	668	638	-45	159,252.94	63,354.07	94.84	405.82
WRIGHT	218	1,063	809	+38	247,377.49	112,245.84	105.59	815.86
YELLOW MEDICINE	135	79	183	-2	98,936.50	7,041.38	89.13	660.70
INDOCHINESE CASES	32	6,018	2,996	+90	881,375.28	853,316.34	141.75	676.84

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TOTAL STATE	37,755	7,655	43,797	+1,362	$ 29,543,889.48	$2,879,750.70	$376.15	$ 706.24
TOTAL URBAN	15,987	2,753	18,291	+609	8,692,333.25	1,193,160.53	433.40	469.07
HENNEPIN	8,794	1,122	9,764	+357	693,659.50	580,981.55	517.80	9.92-
RAMSEY	4,547	1,003	5,376	+186	5,965,164.23	405,355.37	404.14	1,090.78
ST LOUIS	2,646	628	3,151	+66	2,033,509.52	206,823.61	329.33	592.70
TOTAL RURAL	21,768	4,902	25,506	+753	20,851,556.23	1,686,590.17	344.06	880.41
AITKIN	205	59	255	+20	203,309.65	12,944.52	219.35	928.61
ANOKA	604	327	878	+33	808,796.06	152,162.15	465.32	1,087.14
BECKER	352	104	428	+3	298,364.51	49,908.55	479.86	705.84
BELTRAMI	290	192	430	-1	315,863.60	62,891.98	327.56	872.31
BENTON	254	82	310	+9	227,668.18	16,114.68	196.52	832.88
BIG STONE	143	15	154	+24	105,699.33	4,767.08	317.80	705.81
BLUE EARTH	396	123	494	-3	527,044.15	107,838.74	876.73	1,058.59
BROWN	313	42	346	+13	306,174.35	20,423.65	486.27	912.94
CARLTON	319	71	374	+13	344,431.70	35,060.89	493.81	969.81
CARVER	215	38	244	+18	252,891.29	7,955.24	209.34	1,139.23
CASS	240	90	305	-14	248,142.15	18,319.86	203.55	957.59
CHIPPEWA	218	30	240	+19	184,532.69	5,754.81	191.82	820.08
CHISAGO	180	64	235	+13	212,476.45	32,956.96	514.95	997.33
CLAY	316	75	378	+7	356,232.60	33,823.56	450.98	1,020.28
CLEARWATER	197	67	245	+12	158,325.21	8,786.98	131.14	759.07
COOK	54	8	61	+4	73,610.91	456.68	57.08	1,354.70
COTTONWOOD	176	15	189	+20	164,644.52	4,381.58	292.10	910.58
CROW WING	420	179	566	+41	452,667.35	57,971.70	323.86	939.75
DAKOTA	641	197	804	+6	735,146.21	106,397.36	540.08	980.88
DODGE	133	11	142	-5	136,088.08	957.23	87.02	1,016.02
DOUGLAS	343	40	376	+11	342,639.07	22,281.23	557.03	933.98
FARIBAULT	254	32	278	+7	243,918.77	3,151.31	98.47	947.90
FILLMORE	324	57	369	+7	269,371.28	13,912.15	244.07	788.45
FREEBORN	351	45	393	+11	309,762.81	26,006.85	577.93	808.42
GOODHUE	418	40	452	+6	363,734.46	6,482.53	162.06	854.66
GRANT	110	14	121	+9	99,573.55	1,822.49	130.17	888.64
HOUSTON	193	34	216	+2	139,004.66	9,368.67	275.54	671.68
HUBBARD	215	115	300	+20	173,287.61	28,722.61	249.76	672.39
ISANTI	176	51	222	+6	194,010.45	15,915.55	312.06	1,011.90
ITASCA	457	125	561	-11	431,748.89	44,613.46	356.50	847.12
JACKSON	181	33	206	+5	160,861.45	7,864.76	238.32	845.28
KANABEC	141	20	160	+8	169,064.26	8,264.79	413.23	1,140.42
KANDIYOHI	355	73	417	-2	291,805.27	15,368.55	265.32	767.42
KITTSON	113	5	118		141,401.32	1,147.71	229.54	1,241.18
KOOCHICHING	223	64	287	-10	196,640.61	20,678.09	219.57	789.06
LAC QUI PARLE	159	6	165	+3	113,784.56	1,142.00	190.33	708.44
LAKE	71	8	78		97,519.15	1,779.60	222.45	1,348.44
LAKE OF THE WOODS	48	8	53	+4	49,198.54	1,375.33	171.51	996.31
LE SUEUR	290	14	303	+23	294,631.10	1,599.27	114.23	1,010.45
LINCOLN	124	12	134	-10	113,401.49	4,106.48	342.20	881.41
LYON	247	16	263	+4	188,936.61	4,407.41	231.56	747.08

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MCLEOD	255	28	278	+24	$ 212,339.83	$ 11,841.53	$422.91	$784.97
MAHNOMEN	60	43	91	+10	57,719.02	6,541.92	152.13	852.95
MARSHALL	161	44	189	-1	165,765.99	9,876.82	224.47	968.25
MARTIN	219	32	244	+11	166,924.04	5,660.61	176.89	736.36
MEEKER	210	44	247	+6	233,462.11	25,319.62	575.44	991.15
MILLE LACS	269	69	324	+15	268,029.79	11,757.98	170.40	952.68
MORRISON	415	91	476	+11	375,683.77	21,829.39	239.88	852.66
MOWER	443	120	544	+27	394,513.05	17,035.21	141.96	852.09
MURRAY	92	15	103	+2	76,333.06	4,502.03	300.13	780.77
NICOLLET	179	25	200	+14	167,707.62	2,647.04	105.88	922.12
NOBLES	199	22	218	-1	116,544.44	3,173.30	144.24	565.70
NORMAN	171	19	190	+32	130,868.98	8,064.75	424.46	718.15
OLMSTED	589	95	677	-13	559,049.79	45,282.00	476.65	872.27
OTTER TAIL	683	113	771	+43	613,236.49	39,472.86	349.31	840.06
PENNINGTON	147	53	183	+15	151,142.63	36,084.15	680.83	782.71
PINE	279	99	347	+10	263,130.05	22,094.21	223.17	863.92
PIPESTONE	124	20	139	+14	106,307.46	2,671.55	133.57	835.77
POLK	539	117	619	+34	464,893.49	50,167.61	428.78	769.43
POPE	166	20	182	+1	180,002.21	15,282.77	764.13	992.28
RED LAKE	67	22	84	+3	66,576.60	1,624.73	73.85	965.43
REDWOOD	208	21	226		185,564.76	6,118.58	291.36	862.72
RENVILLE	266	42	292	+6	257,382.45	21,443.63	510.56	886.98
RICE	373	40	406	-9	356,188.00	35,212.14	880.30	960.52
ROCK	91	7	96	-1	65,777.35	5,822.33	831.76	658.84
ROSEAU	149	39	180	+8	174,089.61	14,449.36	370.49	1,071.41
SCOTT	264	45	301	+18	335,330.39	13,878.56	308.41	1,217.62
SHERBURNE	173	71	225	+19	176,419.71	6,752.27	95.10	980.73
SIBLEY	183	4	186	-1	165,430.62	396.80	99.20	901.82
STEARNS	807	169	939	+34	775,354.21	31,082.44	183.91	922.26
STEELE	220	22	240	+3	186,426.81	5,343.47	242.88	823.10
STEVENS	123	32	148	+8	112,193.13	4,429.80	138.43	876.12
SWIFT	191	16	205	+7	145,140.80	4,341.22	271.32	737.17
TODD	349	118	438	+38	317,729.11	28,133.84	238.42	829.78
TRAVERSE	116	19	130	+15	96,244.49	2,416.30	127.17	808.86
WABASHA	215	35	241	+8	176,102.76	7,201.60	205.76	785.58
WADENA	181	60	217	+2	126,876.47	13,144.29	219.07	628.35
WASECA	186	20	202	-14	224,762.22	5,190.14	259.50	1,180.49
WASHINGTON	435	110	528	-4	508,570.98	49,839.06	453.08	1,054.55
WATONWAN	127	15	138	+8	132,404.36	18,400.91	1,226.72	897.66
WILKIN	143	26	164	+15	152,061.29	11,444.47	440.17	983.33
WINONA	422	84	489	+2	310,570.10	21,088.45	251.05	885.97
WRIGHT	341	78	408	+21	400,296.08	40,601.12	520.52	1,054.82
YELLOW MEDICINE	165	10	172	+2	131,787.86	8,648.99	864.89	746.29
INDOCHINESE CASES	314	94	279	-14	72,546.75	6,395.28	68.03	210.67

TABLE VII

Minnesota
Supplemental Security Income
and
Supplemental Aid
Recipients, Payments, Average Grants
By County - May, 1981

County	Supplemental Security Income			MSA Persons Not Receiving SSI	Supplemental Aid		
	Persons	Average Grant	Payments*		Persons	Average Grant	Payments*
Aitkin	188	$116.95	$ 21,987	6	67	$133.63	$ 8,953
Anoka	371	135.34	50,211	17	151	62.17	9,388
Becker	422	113.30	47,811	6	92	87.17	8,020
Beltrami	480	119.04	57,137	7	105	71.37	7,494
Benton	168	113.21	19,020	3	50	76.90	3,845
Big Stone	103	88.97	9,164	2	35	39.17	1,371
Blue Earth	326	108.97	35,525	15	104	34.87	3,626
Brown	154	91.49	14,089	1	64	46.13	2,953
Carlton	381	100.66	38,353	18	98	99.29	9,731
Carver	113	120.85	13,655	4	52	90.98	4,731
Cass	500	98.38	49,188	10	85	117.16	9,959
Chippewa	132	87.20	11,511	-	42	53.57	2,250
Chisago	127	98.90	12,560	1	51	55.39	2,825
Clay	278	114.07	31,710	19	111	75.33	8,362
Clearwater	238	107.60	25,608	3	38	71.72	2,726
Cook	27	92.66	2,502	1	7	127.00	889
Cottonwood	138	99.26	13,698	4	33	27.82	918
Crow Wing	621	98.12	60,930	9	102	72.01	7,345
Dakota	399	126.54	50,488	16	168	73.12	12,285
Dodge	94	101.24	9,516	1	14	144.34	2,021
Douglas	319	113.46	36,193	10	95	94.66	8,993
Fillmore	272	93.96	25,558	10	66	86.55	5,712
Freeborn	246	105.44	25,937	13	92	137.85	12,682
Goodhue	266	105.25	27,998	3	85	40.91	3,477
Grant	85	75.65	6,430	1	18	37.83	681
Hennepin	6,713	131.42	882,193	258	2,757	97.43	268,604
Houston	159	92.45	14,700	1	43	66.87	2,876
Hubbard	197	110.18	21,705	1	28	69.82	1,955
Isanti	352	53.17	18,717	6	58	85.06	4,933
Itasca	411	112.21	46,118	29	145	135.55	19,655
Jackson	92	120.88	11,121	-	28	82.71	2,316
Kanabec	132	117.04	15,450	4	35	76.80	2,688
Kandiyohi	429	80.13	34,377	4	77	61.77	4,756
Kittson	95	91.74	8,715	1	35	35.69	1,249
Koochiching	182	105.47	19,195	4	52	91.20	4,742
Lac Qui Parle	81	87.74	7,107	2	30	61.20	1,836
Lake	70	119.44	8,361	4	33	89.09	2,940
Lake of the Woods	44	115.77	5,094	2	11	14.55	160
LeSueur	167	109.78	18,334	11	50	46.42	2,321
Region VIII No.**	387	98.71	38,199	2	78	47.42	3,699
McLeod	188	90.07	16,933	3	60	44.38	2,663
Mahnomen	102	112.56	11,481	4	33	40.67	1,342
Marshall	133	119.87	15,942	7	46	94.02	4,325
Martin***	349	92.39	32,245	6	124	106.56	13,213
Meeker	171	102.02	17,445	7	68	58.85	4,002

TABLE VII Cont.

Minnesota
Supplemental Security Income
and
Supplemental Aid
Continued

County	Supplemental Security Income Persons	Average Grant	Payments*	MSA Persons Not Receiving SSI	Supplemental Aid Persons	Average Grant	Payments*
Mille Lacs	236	$115.76	$ 27,318	6	54	$ 69.19	$ 3,736
Morrison	362	107.75	39,006	7	120	43.56	5,227
Mower	325	123.30	40,072	8	109	68.78	7,497
Nicollet	168	67.39	11,322	8	46	44.33	2,039
Nobles	186	103.97	19,339	7	70	74.14	5,190
Norman	108	81.77	8,831	3	53	44.68	2,368
Olmsted	496	103.98	51,572	26	160	71.22	11,395
Otter Tail	777	91.95	71,446	12	156	66.03	10,301
Pennington	194	113.69	22,056	7	50	140.36	7,018
Pine	265	123.30	32,676	10	84	90.07	7,566
Pipestone	128	98.40	12,595	1	28	20.11	563
Polk	410	90.93	37,281	9	121	78.69	9,522
Pope	115	97.76	11,243	-	48	78.46	3,766
Ramsey	3,469	137.93	478,492	148	1,340	106.47	142,675
Red Lake	40	111.13	4,445	-	18	148.83	2,679
Redwood	185	106.87	19,772	2	49	102.82	5,038
Renville	170	99.46	16,908	1	71	44.21	3,139
Rice	613	69.79	42,778	13	105	91.19	9,575
Rock	80	90.36	7,229	3	21	9.71	204
Roseau	172	103.70	17,837	10	48	143.00	6,864
St. Louis	2,069	119.95	248,180	177	931	157.03	146,191
Scott	148	102.03	15,100	3	58	65.28	3,786
Sherburne	153	110.60	16,922	5	45	109.29	4,918
Sibley	87	107.30	9,335	2	31	57.35	1,778
Stearns	639	111.45	71,218	16	199	53.84	10,714
Steele	131	101.45	13,290	6	59	108.56	6,405
Stevens	104	112.72	11,723	5	29	76.83	2,228
Swift	152	94.08	14,300	2	32	31.50	1,008
Todd	353	104.50	36,890	12	118	70.33	8,299
Traverse	61	78.04	4,760	-	17	54.88	933
Wabasha	159	92.15	14,652	5	47	93.85	4,411
Wadena	278	105.47	29,322	2	44	68.34	3,007
Waseca	95	104.43	9,921	2	21	76.81	1,613
Washington	262	129.81	34,009	21	155	157.81	24,461
Wilkin	67	93.47	6,263	2	34	78.00	2,652
Winona	263	111.55	29,337	9	68	101.92	6,931
Wright	270	97.59	26,348	12	89	96.98	8,631
Yellow Medicine	147	93.17	13,696	-	48	27.34	1,312
County Unknown	3	140.56	422	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	30,842	$114.07	$3,518,118	1,098	10,392	$ 94.03	$977,151

*May not add due to rounding.
**Includes Lincoln, Lyon and Murray Counties.
***Includes Faribault, Martin and Watonwan Counties.

TECHNICAL NOTES

Table I — Application activity for the AFDC Program does not include applications for medical only needs.

Table II — Under MA, total Persons Concurrently Receiving AFDC are not included when calculating the total number of persons receiving assistance. This is done to unduplicate the total count since these people are already counted under the AFDC Program.

Table III — This table does not include cases and payments made under the Emergency Assistance Program.

Table IV — The sixteen (16) counties identified by the Census Bureau as metropolitan (i.e.; SMSA) are separated into urban and suburban. The urban counties are Hennepin, Ramsey, and St. Louis, and the suburban counties are the thirteen (13) other SMSA counties. These counties are noted (U) and (S) respectively.

Two multi-county agencies are labelled as follows: F-M-W HSB includes Faribault, Martin, and Watonwan Counties; Region VIII North includes Lincoln, Lyon, and Murray Counties.

Tables V & VI — Medical Assistance - The program is broken into two components:

(1) Those recipients who had a vendor payment made in their behalf and are not concurrently receiving a money payment (the MA-Only group).

(2) Those recipients who are concurrently receiving a money payment (AFDC, SSI, MSA) and a medical vendor payment was also made in their behalf.

The counts are of people in whose behalf a payment was made out of the State's Centralized Medical Payments System during the month specified.

GLOSSARY

AFDC-UB	AFDC UB . . . An unborn child is included under the definition of child in the AFDC Program and grants are determined accordingly. For this reason, we have counted them as recipients. It is possible for a case which is currently receiving money under another subprogram (such as Unemployed Father or Regular AFDC) to receive an additional amount due to the presence of an unborn child. In instances such as this, the unborn will appear in the child count, but there will be no case or caretaker count since they are carried under the other subprogram.
EPSDT	Early Periodic Screening and Diagnostic Treatment
GAMC	General Assistance Medical Care
HMO	Health Maintenance Organization
Nursing Home ICF-I	Intermediate Care Facility (High Care)
ICF-II	Intermediate Care Facility (Minimum Care)
ICF-MR	Intermediate Care Facility (Mentally Retarded)
OAA-CCR	Old Age Assistance Concurrently Receiving Supplemental Security Income
OAA-MAO	Old Age Assistance, Medical Assistance Only
P.T., O.T., S.T. Audiology in Nursing Home	Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Therapy
Podiatrist Service	Specializing in Foot Care Services
State Institution MR (ICF)	Mentally Retarded, Intermediate Care Facility
SMSA	Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area is a county or a group of contiguous counties which contain at least one city of 50,000 population. In addition to the county of counties containing such cities, contiguous counties are included in such areas if they are essentially metropolitan in character and are socially and economically integrated.
TB	Tuberculosis

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AFDC Unemployed Parents

This component of AFDC increased dramatically during fiscal year 1981. Cases averaged 3,671 monthly for the year and represent an advance of 1,960 cases (114.6%) from the previous fiscal year. Expenditures sustained an even higher rate of advance, reaching $19,375,081, an increase of $10,871,203 (127.8%) from fiscal year 1980.

The growth of the UP component is a recent occurrence. Until fiscal year 1980, costs for this did not exceed $7,000,000. This advance is shown below:

AFDC Unemployed Parents
Average Monthly Cases, Recipients and Total Payments
Fiscal Years 1975 to 1981 Compared

Fiscal Year	Cases	Recipients	Payments
1981	3,671	15,381	$19,375,081
1980	1,711	7,336	8,503,878
1979	1,298	5,597	6,136,722
1978	1,540	6,663	6,905,607
1977	1,627	7,129	6,933,074
1976	1,331	5,916	5,620,664
1975	937	4,287	3,876,287

The growth of the Unemployed Parent category of AFDC during fiscal year 1980 resulted from the economic downturn and its associated manifestations--diminished economic activity, layoffs, and higher unemployment. Many UP cases initially drew unemployment but after these benefits were exhausted, they had no alternative except to turn to public assistance.

The growth of the Unemployed Parent segment is not merely an urban phenomenon. It is occurring across the state. While the largest totals are still those of the urban counties, the suburban and rural counties are exhibiting a higher rate of growth. In only two years, the rural counties have grown from 21.4% of the total to 38.2%. Their case load growth during fiscal year 1981 was 178.8% compared to 131.3% for the suburban counties and 75.9% for the three urban counties.

The largest segment of Minnesota's population, 39.2%, reside in the urban counties, followed by the rural counties at 35.5% and the suburban counties at 25.3%.

The table below portrays the growth of the Unemployed Parent cases by type of county during 1981.

Change in AFDC Unemployed Parent
Average Monthly Cases by Area
Semiannually During Fiscal Year 1981

Type of County	July to December	January to June	Change #	Change %
Urban	1,339	1,709	370	27.6%
Suburban	682	912	231	33.8%
Rural	1,082	1,619	536	49.6%
Total	3,103	4,240	1,137	36.6%

AFDC Unemployed Parents

Change in the Number of Cases Receiving AFDC Assistance

Between Fiscal Year 1986 and 1987

County	Fiscal Year 1987	Fiscal Year 1986	Change #	Change %	Change Per Month
Total State	44,154	30,621	13,533	114.6	1,960
Total SMSA Counties	27,407	14,276	13,131	89.2	1,594
Total Urban Counties	18,987	12,099	5,888	25.9	827
Hennepin	5,177	3,226	1,951	56.9	160
Ramsey	3,117	1,903	1,214	59.7	219
St. Louis	6,143	2,800	3,343	119.4	299
Total Suburban Counties	8,414	2,971	5,443	121.7	437
Anoka	1,369	1,141	1,178	84.1	94
Benton	107	91	961	86.8	23
Carver	87	91	501	70.4	4
Chisago	364	117	347	280.3	28
Clay	470	80	390	487.5	33
Dakota	1,001	488	513	103.7	43
Olmsted	519	203	314	154.7	26
Polk	403	319	734	138.5	19
Scott	63	73	-10	-14.3	-1
Sherburne	509	271	238	91.1	28
Stearns	1,195	495	533	108.6	46
Washington	948	430	509	118.1	42
Wright	1,041	402	664	165.2	54
Total Not SMSA	16,740	7,811	10,393	178.8	866
Aitkin	100	61	339	664.7	28
Becker	364	114	390	919.3	31
Beltrami	870	495	564	69.5	39
Big Stone	--	6	-8		-1
Blue Earth	538	210	318	151.4	26
Brown	290	41	208	314.6	7
Carlton	1,139	530	409	93.6	41
Cass	789	303	485	160.1	40
Chippewa	32	4	90	566.0	3
Clearwater	241	76	158	903.9	13
Cook	86	18	98	620.0	6
Cottonwood	94	9	147	533.3	4
Crow Wing	1,478	484	964	197.1	79
Dodge	80	7	73	328.6	2
Douglas	309	160	140	82.8	13
Fillmore	3	31	-19	-90.5	-2
Freeborn	158	7	151	2,157.1	13
Goodhue	235	60	175	291.7	15
Grant	21	4	17	425.0	1
Houston	32	2	30	1,500.0	2
Hubbard	522	234	288	123.1	24
Isanti	496	170	326	191.8	27
Itasca	1,063	365	698	191.2	58
Jackson	11	1	10	1,000.0	1
Kanabec	169	13	156	1,200.0	13

County	Change		Change		Change
					Per Month
Aitkin					
Anoka					
Becker					
Beltrami					
Benton					
Big Stone					
Blue Earth					
Brown					
Carlton					
Carver					
Cass					
Chippewa					
Chisago					
Clay					
Clearwater					
Cook					
Cottonwood					
Crow Wing					
Dakota					
Dodge					
Douglas					
Faribault					
Fillmore					
Freeborn					
Goodhue					
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Nicollet					
Nobles					
Norman					
Olmsted					
Otter Tail					
Pennington					
Pine					
Pipestone					
Polk					
Pope					
Ramsey					
Red Lake					
Redwood					
Renville					
Rice					
Rock					
Roseau					
St. Louis					
Scott					
Sherburne					
Sibley					
Stearns					
Steele					
Stevens					
Swift					
Todd					
Traverse					
Wabasha					
Wadena					
Waseca					
Washington					
Watonwan					
Wilkin					
Winona					
Wright					
Yellow Medicine					

[1]Includes Lincoln, Lyon and Murray Counties.
[2]Includes Faribault, Martin and Watonwan Counties.
*Less than 0.5%.

June, 1981 - In Summary

All Programs - More medical claims were processed in June causing another increase in total expenditures, rising to a peak level of $88,723,949. This total was $1,078,529 (+1.2%) above May and $12,665,723 (+16.7%) over June, 1980. The monthly trend shows a decline in maintenance costs in AFDC and GA which partially offset the higher medical bill.

Persons aided were also at a peak at 237,271, 5,067 (+2.2%) above May and 18,755 (+8.6%) over June, 1980. Persons receiving medical only account for the monthly trend while the annual trend (as in previous months) represents persons receiving help with maintenance needs (AFDC added 13,076 persons over the year, while GA added 3,155).

Expenditures for fiscal year 1981 also recorded a peak of $914,554,795. Health care costs were up 16.1% in the past year while maintenance costs rose by 23.6%.

Type of Care	1980-1981 Expenditures	Change from 1979-1980 Amount	%
Maintenance	$256,739,881	+$ 49,051,101	+23.6%
Health Care (Only MA)	$657,814,974	+$ 91,446,053	+16.1%
Total	$914,554,795	+$140,497,154	+18.2%

The relative increase in total costs for F.Y. 1981 is down slightly from the previous year (which was +19.2%). Health care costs recorded a lower rate of increase, while the rate for maintenance care more than doubled.

Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) - The AFDC payment case load continued its downward movement begun in May, 1981. This marks the second month of decline, reversing the advance recorded since November, 1979. This decline is consistent with the normal trend for June. Payment cases for June decreased 263 (-0.5%) from May, 1981. The decreases occurred within the urban and rural counties, with an insignificant rise of 14 cases in the suburban counties. Only a minor change of -13 cases received payment in the urban counties whereas the rural counties dropped -264 (1.6%) cases. Declines in cases receiving payment occurred within 73.2% of the rural counties. Total case changes by segment are regular (-0.3%), unemployed parent (-2.7%), foster care in homes (+1.8%), foster care in institutions (-3.3%), unborn only (+1.1%) and unborn concurrent (+4.0%).

Expenditures were $17,098,677 for June, 1981, representing a decline from May of -$758,187 (-4.2%). Three factors contributing to the drop in costs are an increase of IV-D refunds of $446,080, an $82,000 reduction in costs as a result of fewer cases paid and decreasing institutional foster care in Ramsey County, which fell $233,699. (In May, Ramsey County issued back payments to July, 1979 for such care. Computer problems were deemed responsible.) June's payments were $292,034 (1.7%) less than the average monthly costs for fiscal year 1981. Compared with June, 1980, the current June's expenditures were $2,200,888 (14.8%) higher, which is attributable to an additional 5,046 cases paid and the 7.0% increase in the basic standard.

Applications approved in June totalled 3,185, of which 1,621 (50.9%) were reopened cases. Approvals increased 131 (4.3%) above May, 1981, and only three cases more than June, 1980. Total approvals for fiscal year 1981 were 42,339, or a monthly average of 3,528 cases. Of this total, 44.0% were reopened cases. Fiscal year 1981 approvals were 6,696 (18.8%) greater than in fiscal year 1980. Economic factors played a dominant role in 87.4% of the approvals. The two most prominent economic reasons were support being terminated or reduced as a responsible supporting family member continued to be absent from the home (57.5%), and loss or reduction of employment due to layoff, discharge or by client's own initiative (15.9%). The 42,339 approved cases contained 83,977 children. The following table displays the status of the absent parent by rank order for the children of approved cases:

Status	Number of Children	% of Total
Divorced or legally separated	19,245	23.0%
Not married to mother	16,709	19.9%
Separated without court decree	16,644	19.8%
Unemployed father	13,418	16.0%
Unknown	5,475	6.5%
In home, not incapacitated	3,586	4.3%
Incapacitated (physically or mentally)	4,179	5.0%
Absent for reason not mentioned	1,847	2.2%
Child deprived of mother's care, not father's	1,533	1.8%
Death	1,494	1.8%
Imprisoned	467	0.6%
Desertion	415	0.5%
In military service	119	0.1%
Total	83,977	100.0%

June closings numbered 8,997, an unprecedented rise of 5,691 (172.1%) cases above May, 1981. A large portion of these closings were stepparent cases which were removed in accordance with a new state stepparent law. This law becomes effective July 1, 1981, and states that stepparents living in the home of their stepchildren have the same status as natural or adoptive parents in terms of parent responsibilities for support or care; and the stepparent terminations shall be effected in sufficient time to prevent issuance of July grants. For every case closed in June, there were 0.35 cases opened. Total cases closed in fiscal year 1981 equalled 42,368, producing a monthly average of 3,531 cases. Closings were 9,771 (30.0%) higher than in fiscal year 1980.

Fiscal Year 1981

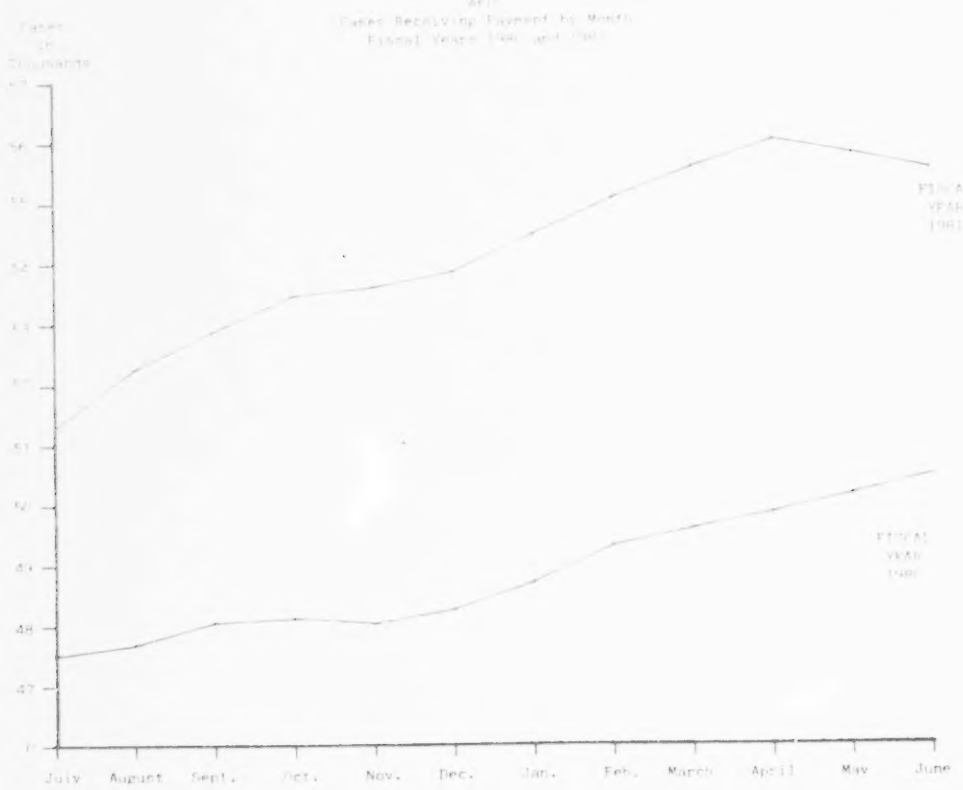
AFDC expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1981 were $208,688,533, or $35,488,312 (20.5%) higher than in fiscal year 1980. It should be noted that this trend represents the 7.0% increase in the basic standard on July 1, 1980, and the rise in the average number of cases receiving payment per month from 48,808 to 54,142. The average grant per family rose $25.48 (8.6%), from $295.72 to $321.20. The fastest growing segment of the program was the unemployed parent. From July, 1980 through April, 1981, this segment soared from 2,770 cases to 4,530, an increase of 63.5%. May and June reflected a slight downward trend.

In fiscal year 1981, support collections received totalled $18,387,866, a rise of $2,668,878 (17.0%) above such collections for fiscal year 1980. Support collections represented 8.1% of the total AFDC maintenance costs compared to 8.3% in fiscal year 1980.

Payments to 18 year olds during the current fiscal year totalled $1,435,062, averaging $119,588 per month, up $15,184 (14.6%). The number of 18 year olds receiving payment averaged 1,048 monthly. The average monthly grant per person was $114.11.

Over the 12-month period of fiscal year 1981, a monthly average of 191 families received emergency fuel assistance. Costs for such assistance totalled $500,372. The average amount received per family was $218.03. Twelve (12) rural counties made no payments for emergency fuel.

The annual trend in the AFDC payment case load over the current fiscal year shows a 10.9% increase in families, a rise of 11.3% in total persons, an 8.9% increase in children and a 16.2% increase in caretakers. The percentage increase in caretakers surpassed that of cases and children due to the rapid expansion of the unemployed parent segment and the increasing number of unwed mothers which produced the effect of lowering the average number of children per family. In terms of the annual increase in total persons (14,943), 6,982 represent caretakers and 7,961 children.



Emergency Assistance (EA) - June EA was marked by lower utilization and lower costs. This was caused by a lessening of the number of applicants attempting to clear up overdue utility bills.

There were 4,602 recipients during June. This was 505 (9.9%) below May and 450 fewer than one year ago. In the past year, a shift in the composition of the AFDC case load has occurred. AFDC recipients numbered 3,077 in June and represented 66.9% of the total, whereas one year ago, they accounted for 61.7%.

Cases numbered 1,319 for the month, 167 (11.0%) fewer than May and 125 (8.7%) below one year ago.

June's expenditure totalled $363,796. This represents a decline of $79,317 (17.9%) from May and is $7,348 (2.0%) less than recorded last year.

The three emergencies sustaining the greatest change were Eviction from Shelter, Migrant Family in Need, and Utilities. An increase in the number of migrant families is a typical occurrence in June. These emergencies are shown in the table below.

Month	Eviction from Shelter	Migrant Family in Need	Utilities
June, 1981	91,740	31,013	151,230
May, 1981	71,342	5,977	264,309
Change	+20,398	+16,139	-113,079
Percent of Change	+ 28.6%	+269.6%	- 42.8%

During the 1980-1981 heating season, $134,302 was spent for fuel by the county agencies. This represents 9.0% of the EA payments during fiscal year 1981. By contrast, fuel payments in fiscal year 1980 (October - June) totalled $71,196 and represented 9.4% of total expenditures. The Emergency Fuel category is shown below for the period October, 1980 - June, 1981.

Emergency Fuel Assistance
October, 1980 - June, 1981

Month	Families	Persons	Payments
October, 1980	70	261	$ 15,070
November	104	413	22,143
December	103	415	22,892
January, 1981	68	265	14,109
February	80	295	18,593
March	77	282	19,804
April	75	312	17,417
May	16	61	4,100
June, 1981	4	6	$ 174
Total	597	2,309	$134,302

The Emergency Assistance Program recorded increases during fiscal year 1981. The number of persons grew by 7.7% while cases advanced by 8.6% and expenditures by 11.9%. One factor behind this change was the growing number of AFDC families who required additional assistance. Their numbers grew from an average of 703 per month in fiscal year 1980 to 953 per month in fiscal year 1981. AFDC families, because of their smaller size, should have had a greater effect on the number of cases than on the number of persons. Yet, AFDC persons advanced at the rate of 36.9%. This would suggest that a number of the larger AFDC families required some form of additional assistance during 1981.

Cases averaged 1,401 per month during the year, 111 (8.6%) more than fiscal year 1980. The urban counties were the foci of this advance, sparked by Hennepin and Ramsey Counties, who alone advanced by 146 cases or 17.7%.

Fiscal year 1981 expenditures reached $4,431,695, an increase of $470,277 (11.9%) from fiscal year 1980. Costs incurred in the urban counties at $3,134,052 represented 70.7% of the state total. This was $631,037 (25.2%) higher than fiscal year 1980. The suburban counties remained virtually unchanged, advancing only $10,473 (1.8%) to $586,763 while the rural counties presented a marked contrast by registering a decline of $171,233 (19.4%) to $710,880.

The emergencies of Eviction, No Employment, Utilities and Emergency Fuel together accounted for $450,883 (95.9%) of the fiscal year 1980 to 1981 advance. The major categories of change were Eviction up $303,581 (30.3%) to $1,305,021, No Employment down $187,296 (42.0%) to $258,778, Utilities up $520,319 (72.0%) to $1,242,548, and Emergency Fuel down $185,721 (56.7%) to $141,567.

The average monthly payment per case was $263.51 in fiscal year 1981, $7.62 (3.0%) more than in fiscal year 1980. The average number of persons per family remained at 3.4. All counties reported payments for EA in fiscal year 1981.

Minnesota Supplemental Aid (MSA) - In June, 10,337 aged, blind and disabled persons received assistance. This is 55 (0.5%) fewer than May and 256 (2.4%) under one year ago. The May to June change resulted from a decline in the Aged category, whose numbers fell by 64 (2.1%) to 3,018. This, however, was partially offset by slight advances in the number of blind, up one to 162, and disabled, up eight to 7,156 recipients.

Expenditures totalled $996,107 during the month, $18,956 (1.9%) higher than May and $110,644 (12.5%) above June, 1980. The June increase occurred within the Blind and Disabled categories, whose expenditures rose $3,737 (29.8%) and $17,436 (2.4%) respectively. Two counties contributed to higher costs for the blind. Hennepin County's expenditure rose $2,043 (35.0%) to $7,875, while St. Louis County reported an increase of $614 (73.3%) to $1,450. For St. Louis County, the increase reflected retroactive adjustments for board and care recipients. Very likely, Hennepin County's advance represented this as well.

The average grant for the month, at $96.36, represents a new record. It was bolstered by the advance in payments for blind recipients, but resulted primarily from the advance within the Disabled category, which grew by $2.33 (2.3%) per case (person).

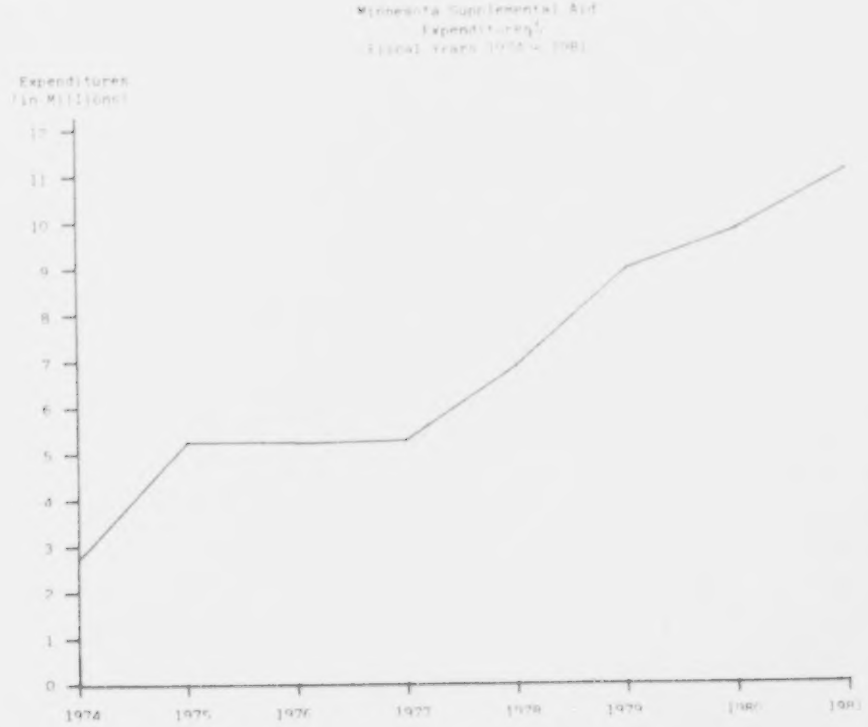
Cases averaged 10,421 per month during fiscal year 1981. This was 295 (2.8%) fewer than recorded last year. Declining cases, coupled with rising costs, bolstered the average monthly grant causing it to advance 16.2% from fiscal year 1980.

The expenditure for fiscal year 1981 totalled $11,082,771. The growth of fiscal year expenditures since the implementation of the MSA Program has been persistent, as noted in the table below and in the graph which follows.

Minnesota Supplemental Aid
Changes in Expenditures and Monthly Grants
Fiscal Years 1974 - 1981

Fiscal Year	Fiscal Expenditure	% of Change	Average Monthly Grant Per Person	% of Change
1974 (½ year)	$ 2,709,366		$44.21	
1975	5,252,641	-3.1%*	50.42	14.0%
1976	5,222,438	-0.6%	62.54	24.0%
1977	5,285,057	1.2%	77.58	24.0%
1978	6,871,337	30.0%	53.58	-31.0%
1979	8,951,944	30.3%	68.22	27.3%
1980	9,808,386	9.6%	76.28	11.8%
1981	$11,082,771	13.0%	$88.67	16.2%

*1974 expanded for comparison purposes.



General Assistance (GA) - June is the last month before the changes in the GA statute take effect. The June statistics already show signs of the expected July GA decrease resulting from the legislated eligibility limitations. The number of eligible cases continued to July from June were nearly one-third less than those continued to June from May. There were 13,740 eligible cases continued to June from May but 9,313 continued to July from June. The 4,427 drop in continued eligible cases was largely an urban change. There were decreases of 3,653 in Hennepin County, 1,003 in Ramsey and St. Louis combined, and 771 in the remainder of the state.

The reduction in the number of eligible cases continued to the following month was the result of a large number of case closings. Statewide, there were 8,879 cases closed and 4,452 cases approved. In Hennepin County, there were 5,027 cases closed and 2,374 cases approved. The reasons for closing, as reported in the Welfare Information System, show no clear connection with the new program changes even though these changes must be the cause. There were two reasons for closing which accounted for most of the increase: "Refused to cooperate with the Work Relief Program requirements" and "Refused or failed to furnish current information relating to eligibility." These reasons may be interpreted to indicate that cases were closed due to more stringent eligibility requirements in light of the fact that more appropriate reason categories are not available in the reporting system.

The average grant (gross dollars) per person was $160.20 in June. This is 0.4% less than May and 19.3% more than June 1980. The 4,452 cases added in June brought the total eligible cases to 18,193. In June, 17,675 persons in 10,804 cases received assistance. The number of recipient persons was 0.6% less than May and 21.7% more than June, 1980.

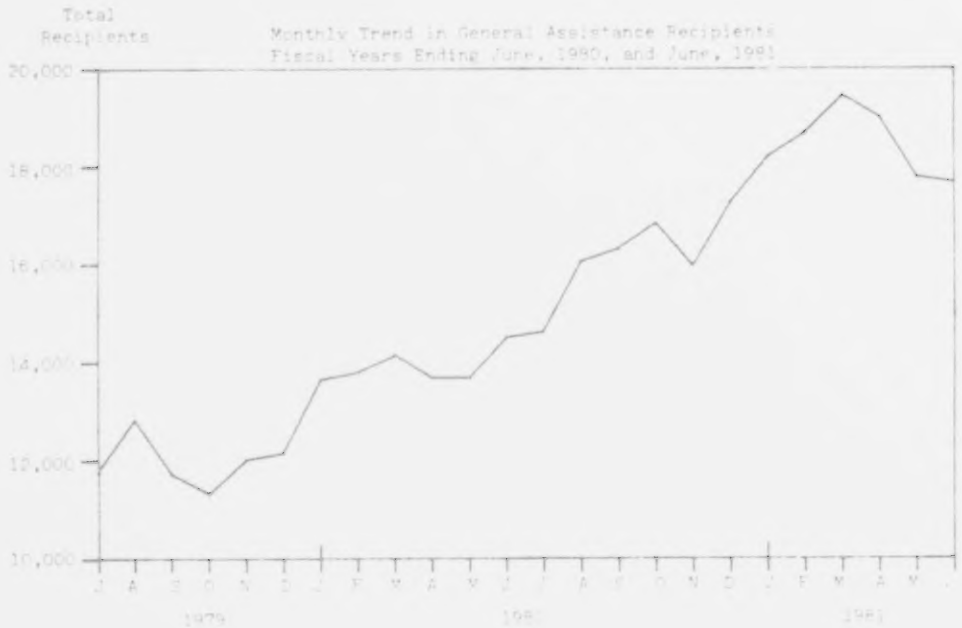
The month of June brings to an end fiscal year 1981. Gross expenditures during the fiscal year totalled $32,536,488 (compared to $20,718,690 during fiscal year 1980). The gross payments are reduced somewhat by various adjustments to the net payments as follows:

Net General Assistance Payments

	State Payments	County Payments	Total
F.Y. 1980	$ 9,340,764	$9,140,226	$18,480,990
F.Y. 1981	$18,265,637	$8,630,427	$26,896,064

There are two reasons why the state is bearing a substantially greater portion of the cost. First, fewer counties are currently making payments in excess of the state standards. The state GA standards impose a maximum payment per case above which the state will not reimburse counties. Due to tight local money, several counties which formerly had payment standards greater than the state standards have opted against keeping their standards greater than the state's. The result is that many local payment standards have been overtaken as increases were made in the state standards. Secondly, the state increased its reimbursement rate from 50% to 60% on January 1, 1980, and from 60% to 75% on January 1, 1981. Thus, more of payments in fiscal year 1980 were made with state reimbursement and these payments were reimbursed at a higher rate.

The average number of recipients per month increased from 12,953 in fiscal year 1980 to 17,330 in fiscal year 1981 and the average payment per person increased from $133.29 to $156.45. The payment per person has barely if at all kept pace with cost of living increases, so the real increase in cost results from increasing numbers of recipients.



The typical seasonal trend in recipient counts is for a high in February and March and a low in June and July. With the onset of economic stress, the highest number of recipients in fiscal year 1980 occurred in June 1980. As the graph above shows, each month in fiscal year 1981 had a higher number of recipients than did June 1980.

Medical Assistance (MA) - Recipients during June totalled 161,292, an increase of 22,130 (15.9%) from May and 19,698 (13.9%) more than one year ago. The June advance was caused by a higher utilization by AFDC recipients whose numbers increased 15,578 (19.9%) from the May level. These recipients also contributed to the annual change representing 16,922 (85.9%) of the advance. The utilization of services was 2.11 per recipient compared to 2.08 in May and 2.44 one year ago.

June's expenditures reached $67,433,763, resulting in an average of $481.08 per person, the highest monthly average recorded in fiscal year 1981. This program was $1,078,529 (1.2%) above May, a record month, and $12,665,723 (16.7%) above one year ago.

The expenditure for fiscal year 1981 totalled $657,814,977, with an average monthly recipient count of 135,472. The following table shows the growth of expenditures since 1975.

Fiscal Year	Total Expenditure	% of Change
1981	$657,469,720	16.1%
1980	566,368,921	22.7%
1979	461,615,020	13.3%
1978	407,486,537	10.8%
1977	367,624,575	14.3%
1976	321,575,493	23.1%
1975	261,226,844	14.9%

Long-term medical care accounted for $429,773,058 (65.3%) of the total expenditure for fiscal year 1981. This expenditure was incurred by an average of 33,941 recipients per month during the year. Since 147,272 recipients utilized medical services for an average month during fiscal year 1981, long-term care involved only 23.0% of the recipients incurring 61.2% of the costs.

Recipients of long-term care facilities also incurred additional costs that totalled $44,631,195 in fiscal year 1981. This was for ancillary services which were not included in the normal day-to-day care of long-term facilities. For an average month during fiscal year 1981, 28,734 or 84.7% of these recipients utilized ancillary services.

Therefore, 23.0% of the monthly recipient total incurred $474,404,253 or 72.1% of the total WA expenditures for fiscal year 1981. This long-term medical care averaged $1,164.78 per monthly recipient during the year.

The pattern of expenditures for fiscal year 1981 and 1980 is shown on the following page.

Medical Assistance Expenditures
Fiscal Year 1981 Compared to Fiscal Year 1980

Chart I.

Medical Assistance Expenditures

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1981

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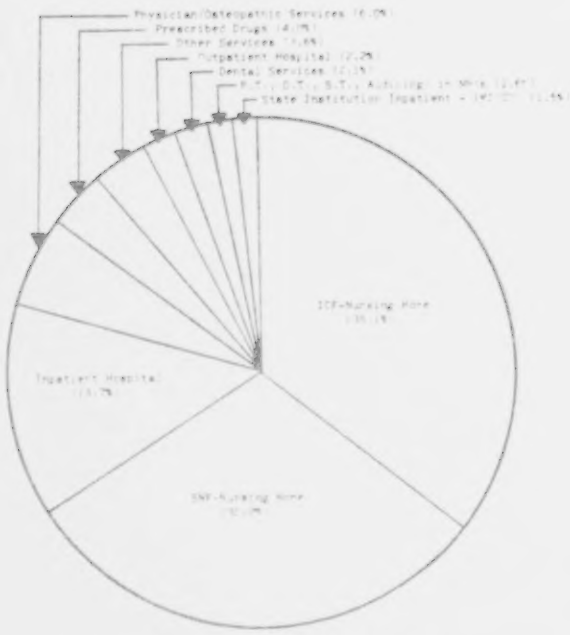

Distribution of Medical Vendor Payments by Type of Care

Fiscal Year 1981

Chart II.

Medical Assistance Expenditures

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1980

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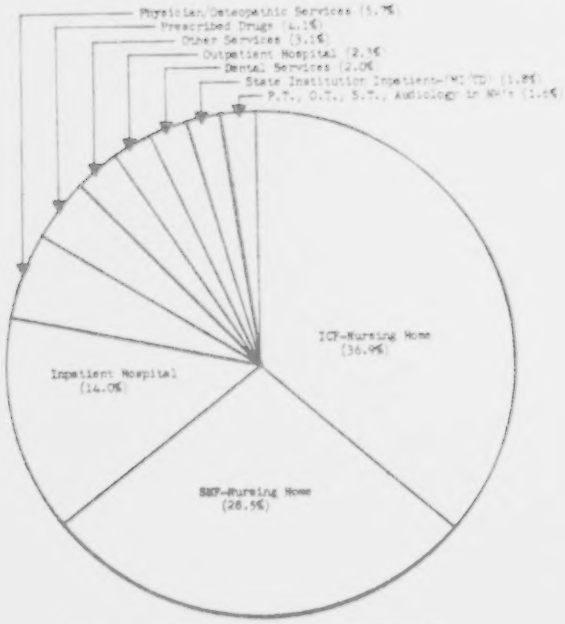

Distribution of Medical Vendor Payments by Type of Care

Fiscal Year 1980

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS
(excluding Food Stamps, General Assistance Medical Care and Supplemental Security Income)

June, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Total Recipients	Total Expenditures	Average Expenditures Per Person
June, 1980	218,516	$ 76,058,226	$ 348.07
July	213,540	71,731,931	335.92
August	221,533	72,088,594	325.41
September	221,302	71,512,462	322.14
October	225,491	73,903,076	323.31
November	221,833	65,142,709	293.66
December	230,823	85,125,243	368.79
January, 1981	228,931	74,320,705	324.64
February	231,424	75,220,485	324.96
March	234,684	72,163,521	307.49
April	234,[illegible]	72,976,900	311.30
May	232,704	87,645,420	377.45
June, 1981	237,271	$ 88,733,949	$ 373.94

July, 1980 through June, 1981 Average [illegible] Total $ [illegible] Average [illegible]

Average $ [illegible]

Supplemental Security Income

June, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Recipients	Expenditures	Average Grant
June, 1980	31,644	$ 3,541,896	$ 111.93
July	31,595	3,543,243	112.11
August	31,573	3,548,645	112.39
September	31,500	3,540,854	112.41
October	31,440	3,542,627	112.68
November	31,331	3,535,907	112.86
December	31,207	3,521,770	112.87
January, 1981	31,110	3,504,639	112.72
February	30,979	3,512,318	113.38
March	30,961	3,516,065	113.56
April	30,909	3,523,040	113.98
May	30,842	3,518,118	114.07
June, 1981	30,622	$ 3,874,520	$ 126.53

AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN *

June, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Average Net Per Case	Expenditure Per Person
June, 1980	50,475	136,791	$ 14,897,789	$ 295.15	$ 108.91
July	51,281	138,759	16,684,257	325.35	120.24
August	52,243	142,170	17,257,442	330.33	121.39
September	52,870	143,676	17,199,984	325.33	119.71
October	53,460	144,793	17,396,988	325.42	120.15
November	53,603	144,944	17,363,383	323.93	119.79
December	53,856	145,634	16,954,816	314.82	116.42
January, 1981	54,471	147,664	17,420,320	319.81	117.97
February	55,062	149,657	17,916,037	325.38	119.72
March	55,565	151,408	17,662,089	317.87	116.66
April	56,011	152,779	17,877,980	319.18	117.02
May	55,784	151,830	17,896,864	320.11	117.83
June, 1981	55,631	150,497	$ 17,098,676	$ 307.37	$ 113.61

CASES AND PAYMENTS BY SUB-PROGRAM

	Families	Persons	Children	Caretakers	Total Net Payments	Avg. Grant Per Case	Avg. Grant Per Person
Total	55,631	150,497	98,728	51,769	$17,098,676	$307.37	$113.61
AFDC Protective Money Payment	693	1,771	1,320	451	332,079	334.89	131.04
AFDC Payments to Children in Foster Homes	1,167	1,551	1,551	--	445,219	384.80	287.05
AFDC Payments to Children in Institutions	177	186	186	--	106,877	603.82	574.60
AFDC Payments to Unemployed Parents	4,294	17,004	8,453	8,451	1,883,354	438.60	105.49
AFDC Payments to Unborn	2,058	3,288	2,050	1,238	488,161	237.30	148.45
AFDC Payments to Other Children	48,113	126,097	84,159	41,638	$13,943,086	$289.80	$110.58

SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTS

Type of Special Needs	Cases	Persons	Payments
Major Home Repair	7	31	$ 977
Repair of Major Appliance	10	32	559
Supplementary Dietary Needs	15	46	1,054
Replacement of Essential Household Furnishings or Major Appliances	120	373	13,016
TOTAL	152	482	$ 15,606

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - June, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Average Net Expenditure Per Case	Average Net Expenditure Per Person
June, 1980	1,444	5,052	$ 371,044	$256.96	$ 73.44
July	1,707	5,835	440,506	258.06	75.50
August	1,613	5,490	393,260	243.81	64.61
September	1,763	6,087	459,990	260.92	75.57
October	1,828	6,152	502,040	274.64	81.61
November	1,174	4,204	292,319	248.99	69.53
December	1,277	4,260	314,980	246.66	73.94
January, 1981	1,186	3,986	300,883	254.99	75.48
February	1,093	3,548	268,512	245.67	75.68
March	1,118	3,672	305,996	273.70	83.34
April	1,264	4,293	346,297	273.97	80.67
May	1,482	5,107	443,115	298.99	86.76
June, 1981	1,319	4,602	363,796	275.81	79.05

SUB-PROGRAM AND DEFINED EMERGENCIES

	Families	Persons	Adults	Children	Total Net Payment	Av. Grant Per Case	Maintenance	Medical
Total	1,319	4,602	1,692	2,910	$363,796	$ 275.81	$ 363,332	$ 464
AFDC Families	935	3,077	1,086	1,991	247,717	264.93	247,610	107
Other Families	384	1,525	606	919	116,079	302.28	115,722	357

Defined Emergency	Families	Persons	Expenditures
Fire	7	22	$ 1,613
Strike	5	15	1,219
Illness	6	26	2,467
Accident	12	50	3,688
Death	3	8	782
Eviction from Shelter	262	805	91,740
Migrant Family in Need	106	461	21,113
No Employment	37	144	10,539
Utilities	494	1,754	151,230
Emergency Fuel	2	6	174
No Furniture/Appliances - Ramsey County only	514	1,805	39,843
Other	181	622	39,388
Total			$ 363,796
Money Payments			$ 64,676
Vendor Payments			$ 299,120

MINNESOTA SUPPLEMENTAL AID - June, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Expenditure Per Person
June, 1980	10,593	$ 885,463	$ 83.59
July	10,460	932,038	89.10
August	10,394	890,359	85.66
September	10,439	843,875	80.84
October	10,478	836,338	79.82
November	10,393	872,394	83.94
December	10,390	906,086	87.29
January, 1981	10,493	956,893	91.19
February	10,411	957,577	91.98
March	10,401	962,004	92.49
April	10,465	951,001	90.88
May	10,392	977,151	94.03
June, 1981	10,337	$ 996,107	$ 96.36

BY SUB-PROGRAM

	Recipients	Cost	Average Grant
Aged	3,018	$225,960	$ 74.87
Blind	163	$ 16,208	$ 99.99
Disabled	7,156	$753,849	$105.35

MINNESOTA GENERAL ASSISTANCE * - June, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Expenditures	Average Expenditure Per Case	Average Expenditure Per Person
June, 1980	12,819	14,530	$1,949,357	$152.07	$134.25
July	12,951	14,644	1,992,198	153.83	136.04
August	14,301	16,073	2,450,530	171.35	152.46
September	14,579	16,336	2,535,381	173.91	155.20
October	15,112	16,855	2,545,188	168.42	151.00
November	14,432	15,469	2,540,874	176.06	159.11
December	15,357	17,276	2,743,139	178.62	158.78
January, 1981	16,362	18,209	2,869,428	175.37	157.58
February	16,843	18,694	2,959,627	175.72	158.32
March	17,471	19,444	3,144,557	179.99	161.72
April	17,059	19,003	3,062,926	179.55	161.18
May	16,063	17,783	2,861,033	178.11	160.89
June, 1981	15,804	17,675	$2,831,607	$179.17	$160.20

BY CASE TYPE

	Recipients	Cost	Average Grant
Single	14,741	$2,528,408	$171.52
Families with Children	1,864	$ 183,379	$ 98.38
Families with Adults Only	1,070	$ 119,820	$111.98

* Includes post-closing cases and payments.

GA Subprogram Payment Trends

	Emergency Need[4]	Special Need[2,7]	Board & Room[2,5]	Unwed Mother[1,2,3]	State Hospital[6]	Battered Women's Shelter Care	Emergency Fuel Assistance	Non-Specified Need Type	Total
1980 August	$140,180	$13,227	$400,730	$7,114	$7,429	$27,823	$ 0	$1,854,027	$2,450,530
September	152,515	17,985	405,981	8,071	6,123	67,473	0	1,877,233	2,535,381
October	131,332	14,074	593,250	7,860	6,084	77,466	9,639	1,705,484	2,545,188
November	113,240	12,499	616,649	7,244	5,706	71,775	19,129	1,694,633	2,540,874
December	157,629	15,364	631,359	9,085	6,668	83,745	15,384	1,823,906	2,743,139
1981 January	155,398	14,855	669,727	5,844	6,406	74,975	6,194	1,936,029	2,869,428
February	130,109	14,607	702,211	4,971	7,761	59,189	11,218	2,029,561	2,959,627
March	130,721	13,935	743,659	5,269	7,655	77,991	9,098	2,156,227	3,144,557
April	112,115	13,191	751,362	5,762	7,858	90,348	6,768	2,075,523	3,062,926
May	119,418	15,654	730,162	4,608	9,246	72,375	166	1,909,404	2,861,033
June	121,361	10,429	714,677	4,426	8,331	97,696	0	1,874,686	2,831,607

(1)Ramsey does not report.
(2)St. Louis does not report.
(3)Anoka does not report.
(4)Ramsey did not report prior to November 1980.
(5)Ramsey did not report prior to October 1980.
(6)St. Louis did not report prior to March 1981.
(7)Ramsey County did not report prior to May 1981.

NOTE: Rows may not add to totals due to rounding.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - June, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Recipients(1)	Expenditures	Average Expenditure Per Person
June, 1980	141,594	$ 57,954,573	$ 409.30
July	118,456	51,682,932	436.40
August	128,541	51,097,004	397.52
September	125,717	50,473,033	401.50
October	134,519	51,699,579	384.36
November	131,900	54,073,730	410.00
December	156,465	64,209,622	410.36
January, 1981	141,952	57,773,181	399.04
February	137,346	53,118,732	387.01
March	134,186	50,088,859	373.28
April	136,234	58,739,666	400.14
May	139,162	65,607,352	470.73
June, 1981	161,292	$ 67,433,763	$ 418.18

(1) Recipient counts represent the number of persons for whom services were paid through the State Centralized Medicaid Payments System. Excluded from the count are persons for whom only the Buy-In Premium payment was made.

RECIPIENTS AND EXPENDITURES BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY

	Eligible Persons	Recipients	Expenditures
Concurrently Receiving AFDC	103,664	91,771	$ 11,780,070
Concurrently Receiving MSA/SSI			
Aged	11,401	9,340	4,280,041
Blind	395	336	166,673
Disabled	15,707	14,449	11,392,904
MA-Only Recipients			
Aged	37,936	20,586	26,628,657
Blind	139	134	106,614
Disabled	8,519	8,135	10,187,713
Families with Children			
AFDC Related	3,328	1,882	443,330
Needy Children	9,459	7,769	2,447,760
Total	220,438	161,292	$ 67,433,763

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS AND EXPENDITURES
by Category of Service (1)

June, 1981

SERVICE CATEGORY	RECIPIENTS	EXPENDITURES	FYTD EXPENDITURES
Inpatient Hospital, General	7,790	$10,166,174	$ 90,210,650
Inpatient Hospital, T.B.	--	--	--
Inpatient Hospital, Mental	--	--	--
Crippled Children's Hospital/Convalescent	--	--	--
Mental Health Service	1,534	130,746	1,187,460
Outpatient Hospital, General	26,236	1,908,142	14,684,268
HMO	568	26,298	236,625
Rehabilitation Services	375	77,158	587,950
Nursing Home, Skilled	16,256	19,305,262	198,780,976
Nursing Home, T.B.	--	--	--
Nursing Home, ICF-MR	3,718	5,035,847	50,747,684
Nursing Home, ICF-I	11,530	10,275,929	106,940,638
Nursing Home, ICF-II	1,681	980,226	10,346,879
P.T., O.T., S.T., Audiology in Nursing Homes	3,699	1,205,001	10,813,069
Home Health Service	4,009	457,615	3,231,283
Crippled Child Service	70	1,900	15,630
Buy-In/Health Insurance	16,241	333,674	3,013,176
Independent Lab/X-Ray	2,149	18,896	227,895
Public Health Clinic Service	2,931	55,627	522,274
Recipient Recovery (2)	--	786,556-	4,226,448-
Family Planning Service	8,062	334,022	3,391,333
State Institution, MR (ICF)	2,288	5,764,484	63,021,701
State Institution, MI/CD (Mental Hospital)	352	803,346	9,676,267
Prescribed Drugs	91,172	3,435,270	26,307,065
Medical Supplies	9,043	503,172	4,426,486
Ambulance Service/Medical Transportation	5,396	411,673	3,286,684
EPSDT (3)	2,219	82,957	631,333
Physician/Osteopathic Service	83,471	4,651,468	39,529,734
Dental Services	35,968	1,691,769	13,963,854
Optometric Services	5,902	271,622	2,256,863
Psychology	3,018	266,365	1,797,095
Nursing Services	648	274,900	1,895,290
Physical Therapy	705	33,424	292,636
Speech Therapy	363	65,391	480,072
Occupational Therapy	7	6,333	31,293
Podiatrist Service	2,179	49,416	530,149
Chiropractor Service	2,174	96,250	781,490
Audiologist	208	6,462	39,025
Osteopathic Services	--	--	--
Other	1	2,634	7,565
TOTAL	161,292	$67,433,763	$657,814,974

(1)This table represents state Medicaid system payments plus payments made by counties to primarily medical vendors not covered by the central payments system. Also, in this table, each person is counted under all service categories for which payment is made in his/her behalf during the month.

(2)Recipient recoveries represent collections such as estate settlements, tort recoveries, etc. ... generally third party collections which cannot be tied directly to a specific service billing. The dollar values under this category are always negative.

(3)An additional $30,634 was paid out for EPSDT services during the month; however, these charges were billed in a different fashion and are included under other service types such as Public Health Clinic, Physician/Osteopathic Services, etc. Existing reports do not break these charges out separately.

RECIPIENTS OF NURSING HOME CARE
BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY
[illegible], 1981

	SNF		ICF-I		ICF-II		ICF-MR		TOTAL	
	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
RECEIVING SSI										
Aged	1,048	$ 2,[illegible],[illegible].00	1,[illegible]	$ 1,[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	130	$ [illegible],264.00	89	$ [illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	2,319	$ 3,677,[illegible].47
Blind	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	5	4,[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]
Disabled	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]
Total Receiving SSI	[illegible]	$ [illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$ [illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]
MA - ONLY										
Adults 65+										
Medically Needy	[illegible]	$ [illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$ [illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$ [illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]
Categorically Needy	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]
Adults Blind										
Medically Needy	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]
Categorically Needy	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]
Adults Disabled										
Medically Needy	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]
Categorically Needy	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]
Needy Children	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible].[illegible]
Unknown	[illegible]	$ [illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$ [illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$ [illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$ [illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$ [illegible].[illegible]
TOTAL MA - ONLY	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]
UNKNOWN	[illegible]	$ [illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$ [illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$ [illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$ [illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$ [illegible],[illegible].[illegible]
GRAND TOTAL	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible],[illegible],[illegible].[illegible]

MINNESOTA PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

ACTIVITY

June, 1981

TABLE I - PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS: APPLICATIONS AND CASES

June, 1981

PROGRAM BY MONTH AND YEAR

ACTIVITY	AFDC			GENERAL ASSISTANCE			MINNESOTA SUPPLEMENTAL AID		
	June, '81	May, '81	June, '80	June, '81	May, '81	June, '80	June, '81	May, '81	June, '80
Applications Received	3,612	3,402	3,507	5,108	4,347	4,807	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	4,120	3,881	3,965	5,548	4,777	5,253	N/A	N/A	N/A
Applications Disposed Of:	3,541	3,373	3,467	5,098	4,337	4,761	321	276	255
Formal Appl. Approved	2,927	2,770	2,964	4,452	3,805	4,328	255	263	248
Transfers between Counties	258	264	18	--	--	--	--	--	--
Denials	356	319	285	646	532	433	16	13	7
Total Cases Open During Month	57,057	57,403	51,647	18,192**	18,233	14,867	11,254	11,263	11,343
Number Receiving No Payment	1,536	1,618	1,172	4,327*	3,016*	3,441	917	871	750
Number Receiving Payment	55,521	55,784	50,475	13,865	15,223	11,426	10,337	10,392	10,593
Cases Closed During Month	8,997	3,306	3,832	8,870	4,368	3,785	303	218	312

ACTIVITY	MEDICAL ASSISTANCE/CONCURRENTLY RECEIVING SSI								
	65 AND OVER			BLIND			DISABLED		
	June, '81	May, '81	June, '80	June, '81	May, '81	June, '80	June, '81	May, '81	June, '80
Applications Received	90	92	119	4	7	4	212	186	254
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	162	177	189	6	8	7	382	400	493
Applications Disposed Of:	96	104	152	5	6	4	239	230	260
Formal Appl. Approved	91	101	115	5	6	4	226	213	238
Formal Appl. Not Approved	5	3	7	0	0	0	13	17	22
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Cases Open During Month	11,401	11,408	11,698	395	400	401	15,707	15,720	15,633
Number Receiving No Payment	2,161	2,923	2,437	69	112	88	2,258	2,958	2,323
Number Receiving Payment	9,240	8,485	9,261	326	288	313	13,449	12,762	13,310
Cases Closed During Month	135	119	136	9	8	5	240	222	213

*This is unknown for Ramsey County.

**The number of cases continued into June by Carver County was revised, thus decreasing the number of cases open in June by 125.

Table I Cont.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ONLY APPLICATIONS AND CASES

PROGRAM	65 AND OVER			ADULTS/BLIND			ADULTS/DISABLED		
Month and Year	June, '81	May, '81	June, '80	June, '81	May, '81	June, '80	June, '81	May, '81	June, '8
Applications Received	889	856	983	2	2	0	221	221	237
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	2,261	2,382	2,553	5	4	1	679	720	745
Applications Disposed Of:	930	1,009	996	2	1	1	264	262	291
Formal Appl. Approved	762	832	838	2		1	208	206	240
Formal Appl. Not Approved	168	177	158	0	0	0	56	56	51
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Cases Open During Month	27,936	27,988	26,513	139	140	133	8,519	8,521	7,869
Number Receiving No Payment	1,350	4,717	2,005	5	19	2	384	760	496
Number Receiving Payment	26,586	23,271	24,507	134	121	131	8,135	7,761	7,373
Cases Closed During Month	785	817	706	3	2	2	198	238	230

PROGRAM	AFDC RELATED			CHILDREN UNDER 21/REGULAR		
Month and Year	June, 1981	May, 1981	June, 1980	June, 1981	May, 1981	June, 1980
Applications Received	136	140	160	1,006	905	975
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	287	312	327	1,800	1,864	1,895
Applications Disposed Of:	135	161	156	1,055	1,070	1,053
Formal Appl. Approved	95	127	115	790	812	820
Formal Appl. Not Approved	40	34	41	265	258	233
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Cases Open During Month	1,197	1,021	980	6,576	6,757	6,242
Number Receiving No Payment	50	44	8	324	1,395	173
Number Receiving Payment	1,147	977	972	6,252	5,362	6,069
Cases Closed During Month	134	123	97	1,203	934	866

Table II MINNESOTA PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TRENDS - June, 1981

	June, 1981	CHANGE FROM May, 1981		CHANGE FROM June, 1980	
		Number or Amount	Percent	Number or Amount	Percent
ALL PROGRAMS (a)					
Persons Receiving Payment	237,271	+ 5,067	+ 2.1%	+ 18,776	+ 8.6%
Total Payments	$80,[illegible]	+$ 1,078,[illegible]	+ [illegible]%	+$[illegible]	+16.[illegible]%
Aid to Families with Dependent Children					
Families (Cases) Receiving Payment	58,521	- [illegible]	- 0.[illegible]%	+ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
Children	98,738	- [illegible]	- 0.[illegible]%	+ 1,169	+ [illegible]%
Caretakers	61,760	- 603	- [illegible]%	+ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
Total Net Payments	$19,088,670	-$ 758,198	- 3.[illegible]%	+$[illegible]	+[illegible]%
Average Grant Per Family	$ 307.97	-$ [illegible]	- [illegible]%	+$ [illegible]	+ [illegible]%
Average Grant Per Person	$ 111.61	-$ [illegible]	- [illegible]%	+$ [illegible]	+ [illegible]%
Emergency Assistance					
Families Receiving Payment	1,310	- [illegible]	-[illegible]%	- [illegible]	- [illegible]%
Persons Receiving Payment	[illegible]	- [illegible]	- [illegible]%	- [illegible]	- [illegible]%
AFDC Persons Receiving Payment(b)	[illegible]	- [illegible]	-[illegible]%	+ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
Total Net Payments	$ [illegible]	-$ [illegible]	-[illegible]%	-$ [illegible]	- [illegible]%
Average Payment Per Family	$ [illegible]	-$ [illegible]	- [illegible]%	+$ [illegible]	+ [illegible]%
Supplemental Aid					
Persons Receiving Payment	[illegible]	- [illegible]	- [illegible]%	- [illegible]	- [illegible]%
Total Net Payments	$ [illegible]	+$ [illegible]	+ [illegible]%	+$ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
Average Grant Per Person	$ [illegible]	+$ [illegible]	+ [illegible]%	+$ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
General Assistance(c)					
Cases Receiving Payment	15,804	- [illegible]	- [illegible]%	+ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
Family Cases	1,063	+ [illegible]	+ [illegible]%	+ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
Persons in Family Case	[illegible]	+ 178	+ [illegible]%	+ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
Single Cases	14,741	- [illegible]	- [illegible]%	+ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
Total Gross Payments	$ [illegible]	-$ [illegible]	- [illegible]%	+$ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
Avg. Grant Per Family Case	$ [illegible]	+$ [illegible]	+ [illegible]%	+$ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
Avg. Grant Per Family Person	$ [illegible]	+$ [illegible]	+ *	+$ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
Avg. Grant Per Single Case	$ [illegible]	+$ [illegible]	+ *	+$ [illegible]	+[illegible]%
Medical Assistance					
Total MA-Only Persons	44,506	+ 5,072	+[illegible]%	+ [illegible]	+ [illegible]%
Total Persons Concurrently Receiving SSI	[illegible]	+ 1,480	+ [illegible]%	+ [illegible]	+ [illegible]%
Total Persons Concurrently Receiving MSA(b)	10,284	+ 120	+ 1.[illegible]%	- [illegible]	- [illegible]%
Total Persons Concurrently Receiving AFDC(b)	[illegible]	+ 15,578	+[illegible]%	+ 16,922	+[illegible]%
Total Net Payments	$67,[illegible]	+$ [illegible]	+ [illegible]%	+$[illegible]	+[illegible]%
Average Grant Per Person	$ [illegible]	+$ 10.36	+ [illegible]%	+$ [illegible]	+[illegible]%

(a) Does not include General Assistance Medical Care, Foster Care or other General Relief Payments.
(b) Excluded when calculating the total persons for all programs.
(c) Includes post-closing persons and cases.
*Less than 0.1%.

TABLE III

MINNESOTA AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

June, 1981

COUNTY	CASES	CHANGE FROM May, 1981	CARETAKERS	CHILDREN	PAYMENTS	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER FAMILY	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER PERS
TOTAL STATE	55,521	+ 261	51,769	98,728	$17,098,676.55	$307.97	$113.61
TOTAL SMSA	39,152	+ 01	36,647	68,878	$12,098,260.12	$309.01	$114.65
TOTAL URBAN	27,908	- 13	26,422	49,370	$ 8,623,719.72	$310.80	$114.44
Hennepin	15,188	+ 53	14,178	26,871	$ 4,801,372.47	$316.13	$116.97
Ramsey	8,350	- 40	8,049	15,015	3,665,354.01	319.20	115.56
St. Louis	4,370	- 26	4,195	7,484	1,206,993.24	276.20	103.35
TOTAL SUBURBAN	11,244	+ 14	10,225	19,508	$ 3,434,540.40	$304.57	$115.18
Anoka	3,991	- 11	2,506	4,780	$ 981,831.25	$329.24	$130.64
Benton	284	- 14	274	521	85,924.99	303.62	108.08
Carver	344	- 15	199	413	86,710.28	253.38	97.66
Chisago	365	---	338	678	107,388.65	294.22	106.75
Clay	542	- 06	501	966	159,502.16	294.28	117.56
Dakota	1,935	- 31	1,734	3,388	540,250.69	279.20	107.58
Olmsted	841	- 17	816	1,438	41,640.12	287.32	107.35
Polk	429	- 08	414	810	142,215.71	334.63	116.28
Scott	373	+ 01	330	683	107,485.12	289.72	106.95
Sherburne	429	+ 10	466	867	119,277.34	278.24	100.44
Stearns	915	+ 01	897	1,615	274,793.14	300.32	109.39
Washington	1,313	+ 08	1,060	2,059	390,072.49	320.52	125.66
Wright	737	+ 23	700	1,456	239,443.46	316.75	108.38
TOTAL NOT SMSA	16,369	- 247	15,122	29,850	$ 5,000,416.43	$306.48	$111.19
Aitkin	199	- 08	205	381	$ 68,636.56	$294.60	$100.04
Becker	511	+ 13	473	976	191,429.15	335.46	118.30
Beltrami	705	- 81	699	1,483	68,764.70	352.71	123.17
Big Stone	67	+ 03	48	110	19,608.18	316.26	124.10
Blue Earth	580	- 07	550	999	183,399.11	314.31	119.38
Brown	314	+ 10	199	395	63,438.79	291.77	105.11
Carlton	564	- 09	588	998	167,073.80	297.28	105.48
Cass	501	- 09	610	1,093	198,508.55	374.54	128.32
Chippewa	107	- 01	97	180	28,111.15	262.72	105.29
Clearwater	201	+ 01	200	464	74,507.87	337.14	117.31
Cook	69	- 06	69	130	18,284.97	294.92	105.69
Cottonwood	137	+ 06	109	217	31,706.44	233.71	99.38
Crow Wing	730	- 35	806	1,372	239,650.11	325.61	110.08
Dodge	139	+ 02	108	232	38,972.89	302.12	114.63
Douglas	253	- 06	214	381	60,731.76	266.35	95.35
Fillmore	140	- 03	107	242	28,109.86	200.78	80.54
Freeborn	431	+ 13	398	702	130,403.28	309.75	118.55
Goodhue	313	- 02	283	571	91,072.60	290.97	106.64
Grant	60	- 03	40	82	10,267.86	205.36	84.16
Houston	129	--	118	241	36,173.99	280.42	100.76
Hubbard	280	- 03	293	531	95,782.18	342.08	116.38
Isanti	366	- 09	343	700	109,341.96	298.75	104.83
Itasca	983	+ 13	870	1,739	309,673.41	315.03	118.69
Jackson	120	- 05	98	199	30,576.00	254.80	102.95
Kanabec	179	--	164	342	61,925.53	345.95	122.38

TABLE III cont. MINNESOTA AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

June, 1981

COUNTY	CASES	CHANGE FROM May, 1981	CARETAKERS	CHILDREN	PAYMENTS	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER FAMILY	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER PERSON
Kandiyohi	410	- 24	383	726	$ 94,062.98	$229.42	$ 84.82
Kittson	39	- 01	31	65	11,699.00	299.97	121.86
Koochiching	329	- 07	322	593	103,375.92	314.21	112.98
Lac Qui Parle	43	- 02	37	85	11,030.02	256.51	90.41
Lake	144	+ 02	130	265	41,775.83	290.11	105.76
Lake O' Woods	32	--	36	70	10,966.00	342.69	109.66
Le Sueur	217	- 04	196	402	65,821.79	303.33	110.07
Region VIII No.	389	- 09	345	687	118,416.37	304.41	114.74
McLeod	189	- 04	166	343	57,051.63	301.86	112.09
Mahnomen	101	+ 07	76	187	32,809.81	324.85	124.75
Marshall	108	- 01	89	190	32,035.42	296.62	114.82
Martin	493	- 02	445	889	142,226.99	288.49	106.62
Meeker	180	+ 03	164	354	51,266.14	284.81	98.97
Mille Lacs	358	- 01	410	658	116,873.56	326.46	120.74
Morrison	390	- 10	369	723	115,787.96	296.89	106.13
Mower	480	- 08	454	849	138,312.90	288.14	98.47
Nicollet	210	- 01	190	345	58,584.32	278.97	109.50
Nobles	211	- 04	192	325	61,324.26	290.64	108.16
Norman	52	+ 01	54	98	16,461.90	316.58	124.71
Otter Tail	407	+ 04	337	751	104,593.59	256.99	99.33
Pennington	156	- 03	132	284	45,420.91	291.16	109.18
Pine	418	- 31	447	822	145,333.60	347.69	114.98
Pipestone	93	+ 01	78	157	31,561.36	339.37	128.82
Pope	99	- 03	97	168	31,663.56	319.83	119.49
Red Lake	29	- 01	19	44	6,565.52	226.40	104.21
Redwood	138	+ 05	121	258	39,084.76	283.22	103.13
Renville	118	- 01	90	211	33,202.18	281.37	110.31
Rice	426	- 10	401	806	155,457.51	364.92	128.80
Rock	64	+ 02	60	113	17,680.28	276.25	102.79
Roseau	96	+ 06	67	107	26,966.13	280.90	115.24
Sibley	90	- 05	75	156	24,970.29	277.45	108.10
Steele	168	- 12	146	296	45,047.38	268.14	101.92
Stevens	53	--	47	90	15,715.65	296.52	114.71
Swift	129	- 13	109	253	34,592.73	268.16	95.56
Todd	277	- 09	251	520	89,045.55	321.46	115.49
Traverse	34	--	26	66	9,052.00	266.24	98.39
Wabasha	160	--	137	277	43,849.66	274.06	105.92
Wadena	190	- 07	193	367	58,921.31	310.11	105.22
Waseca	195	+ 09	179	361	57,966.28	297.26	107.34
Wilkin	82	- 07	73	154	23,687.41	288.87	104.35
Winona	501	+ 01	454	848	147,891.57	295.19	113.59
Yellow Medicine	79	- 01	65	145	22,731.75	287.74	108.25

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AITKIN		49	59	$ 6,652.75	40	$ 97.57	2	5	$ 191.06	7	14	$ 128.18
ANOKA	(S)	445	481	74,895.51	425	156.30	13	42	165.85	7	14	107.29
BECKER		95	110	10,790.45	82	95.67	3	8	91.03	10	20	110.85
BELTRAMI		98	191	18,018.84	65	140.67	29	118	68.23	4	8	103.00
BENTON	(S)	50	55	7,724.33	45	151.47				5	10	90.80
BIG STONE		9	9	1,019.00	9	113.22						
BLUE EARTH		189	223	37,780.08	170	192.81	7	28	64.58	12	24	133.12
BROWN		47	53	8,675.00	43	179.35	1	4	101.50	3	6	92.83
CARLTON		143	158	27,303.23	136	185.97	4	16	73.06	3	6	140.33
CARVER	(S)	15	17	2,975.00	13	196.62				2	4	104.75
CASS		83	107	15,674.00	68	178.68	9	27	99.00	6	12	70.92
CHIPPEWA		19	20	2,297.75	18	114.33				1	2	119.88
CHISAGO	(S)	63	69	10,310.25	57	158.13				6	12	108.08
CLAY	(S)	105	109	13,156.21	101	124.61				4	8	71.38
CLEARWATER		49	62	5,662.18	43	103.63	4	15	51.60	2	4	108.00
COOK		10	11	924.37	9	97.71	1	2	22.50			
COTTONWOOD		36	39	5,716.83	33	153.21	1	2	105.88	2	4	112.25
CROW WING		157	206	22,576.72	123	129.13	16	47	63.26	18	36	103.36
DAKOTA	(S)	256	324	53,349.44	224	169.31	25	86	163.06	7	14	100.05
DODGE		15	19	2,217.00	13	139.08	1	4	49.25	1	2	106.00
DOUGLAS		40	43	8,904.00	37	226.38	1	2	60.00	2	4	102.00
FILLMORE		22	32	4,121.00	17	181.18	2	9	49.11	3	6	99.83
FREEBORN		52	58	9,990.69	48	189.29	2	6	84.46	2	4	99.50
GOODHUE		58	62	7,979.80	54	135.29	1	2	62.00	3	6	91.67
GRANT		4	4	774.00	4	193.50						
HENNEPIN	(U)	5,842	6,257	1,044,748.46	5,607	173.88	135	450	104.38	100	200	114.12
HOUSTON		17	21	2,959.70	15	178.85	1	4	12.50	1	2	113.50
HUBBARD		40	50	5,609.42	31	140.50	2	5	37.60	7	14	76.14
ISANTI		67	78	11,632.57	60	159.82	4	12	98.67	3	6	143.21
ITASCA		216	289	40,304.00	177	162.69	21	76	84.93	18	36	140.33
JACKSON		24	37	5,137.55	19	217.08	2	12	15.91	3	6	137.03
KANABEC		19	28	3,772.60	15	202.99	2	9	42.42	2	4	86.48
KANDIYOHI		105	115	16,727.64	97	155.27	1	4	65.00	7	14	100.43
KITTSON		9	12	2,772.62	8	343.58	1	4	6.00			
KOOCHICHING		117	171	22,174.44	92	152.56	16	61	94.55	9	18	131.72
LAC QUI PARLE		2	2	773.50	2	386.75						
LAKE		48	56	12,127.00	45	203.16	2	9	305.89	1	2	116.00
LAKE OF THE WOODS		6	12	664.32	4	86.83	1	6	49.50	1	2	10.00
LE SUEUR		23	27	5,664.19	21	223.03	1	4	175.88	1	2	138.50
REGION VIII NORTH		108	136	15,528.97	93	140.77	9	31	53.97	6	12	63.67
MC LEOD		23	23	3,283.04	23	142.74						
MAHNOMEN		12	29	2,476.55	5	248.55	6	22	45.63	1	2	115.00
MARSHALL		3	3	437.77	3	145.92						
F-M-W HSB		129	151	$ 19,648.07	116	$ 142.58	4	17	$ 60.29	9	18	$ 115.78

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BECKER	26	43	7,682.99	22	114.91	4	21	245.48			
BELTRAMI LACS	52	59	6,821.15	46	126.79	2	5	59.00	4	8	86.75
MORRISON	101	114	15,627.50	92	147.39	2	8	72.00	7	14	106.57
MOWER	125	154	20,519.38	107	145.24	8	27	93.14	10	20	123.22
NICOLLET	63	82	13,741.09	54	204.47	7	24	93.03	2	4	116.75
NOBLES	27	27	4,797.84	27	177.70						
NORMAN	7	13	1,215.97	5	214.39	1	6	14.00	1	2	30.00
OLMSTED (S)	186	204	36,374.72	173	160.73	7	19	380.42	6	12	111.67
OTTER TAIL	54	70	12,721.25	48	229.84	4	18	65.52	2	4	127.42
PENNINGTON	33	45	5,782.03	27	177.55	2	10	25.73	4	8	91.37
PINE	91	114	17,512.75	76	184.72	6	20	54.00	9	18	133.00
PIPESTONE	19	37	4,416.42	13	190.88	6	24	80.63			
POLK (S)	82	96	14,949.23	73	177.70	2	9	55.33	7	14	105.64
POPE	15	18	3,578.26	12	265.94	1	2	5.00	2	4	94.25
RAMSEY (U)	3,192	3,379	583,909.88	3,068	179.04	50	163	113.47	74	148	108.81
RED LAKE	3	3	758.00	3	252.67						
REDWOOD	27	40	7,716.24	22	198.07	3	14	203.34	2	4	128.00
RENVILLE	11	13	2,292.00	10	207.40	1	3	72.67			
RICE	58	63	10,550.75	53	182.58				5	10	87.40
ROCK	15	18	2,933.50	12	137.58	1	2	383.25	2	4	129.00
ROSEAU	13	31	3,065.00	9	205.44	4	22	55.27			
ST. LOUIS (U)	1,615	1,773	291,920.03	1,519	175.37	37	136	83.84	59	118	119.73
SCOTT (S)	65	81	12,616.02	56	180.33	5	17	115.63	4	8	69.00
SHERBURNE (S)	91	95	13,162.05	87	139.31				4	8	130.22
SIBLEY	12	14	2,025.00	10	157.80	2	4	111.75			
STEARNS (S)	232	274	34,256.30	211	133.17	13	47	94.80	8	16	106.44
STEELE	23	28	3,464.97	19	148.52	1	3	89.00	3	6	62.67
STEVENS	11	11	3,123.00	11	283.91						
SWIFT	6	7	696.34	5	93.87				1	2	113.50
TODD	44	52	9,294.01	40	196.28	1	6	94.67	3	6	145.83
TRAVERSE	6	6	997.24	6	166.21						
WABASHA	21	23	3,266.00	19	143.53				2	4	134.75
WADENA	11	16	1,236.00	10	112.90	1	6	17.83			
WASECA	43	63	7,714.64	32	149.66	7	23	86.74	4	8	116.31
WASHINGTON (S)	208	260	43,121.09	181	204.78	14	53	65.62	13	26	99.19
WILKIN	13	14	2,321.00	12	166.92				1	2	159.00
WINONA	114	129	16,425.54	102	135.07	1	5	11.00	11	22	117.86
WRIGHT (S)	164	183	32,464.13	153	193.08	5	18	52.63	6	12	164.68
YELLOW MEDICINE	6	6	607.00	6	101.17						
MINNESOTA TOTAL	15,804	17,675	$ 2,831,607.15	14,741	$ 171.52	528	1,864	$ 98.38	535	1,070	$ 111.98
SMSA TOTAL	12,611	13,657	$ 2,269,932.65	11,993	$ 173.74	306	1,040	$ 111.95	312	624	$ 111.90
URBAN (U)	10,649	11,409	$ 1,920,578.37	10,194	$ 175.66	222	749	$ 102.63	233	466	$ 113.86
SUBURBAN (S)	1,962	2,248	$ 349,354.28	1,799	$ 162.88	84	291	$ 135.95	79	158	$ 106.13
NON-SMSA TOTAL	3,193	4,018	$ 561,674.50	2,748	$ 161.84	222	824	$ 81.25	223	446	$ 112.10

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TOTAL STATE	26,512	96,655	80,462	+7,478	$ 28,568,461.68	$12,780,934.26	$132.23	$ 595.48
TOTAL URBAN	11,143	46,972	36,932	+3,391	14,627,394.53	6,940,678.92	150.97	609.82
HENNEPIN	6,020	25,247	20,060	+1,967	8,467,333.92	3,973,674.83	157.39	746.45
RAMSEY	3,050	13,795	10,829	+836	4,334,273.86	2,173,560.33	157.54	708.49
ST LOUIS	2,073	6,930	6,023	+588	1,825,786.75	793,643.76	114.52	497.89
TOTAL RURAL	15,369	50,683	43,530	+4,087	13,941,067.15	5,840,255.34	115.23	527.08
AITKIN	170	350	355	+20	131,672.83	60,497.02	172.84	418.68
ANOKA	357	4,753	3,113	+390	803,293.01	545,181.25	114.70	723.00
BECKER	382	753	821	+85	243,135.60	93,284.56	123.88	392.28
BELTRAMI	391	919	975	+99	302,273.87	120,091.74	129.26	465.93
BENTON	136	464	396	+25	128,513.11	45,795.58	98.69	608.21
BIG STONE	101	74	147	+6	62,925.07	17,326.28	234.13	451.47
BLUE EARTH	263	913	828	+133	215,709.33	73,266.86	79.15	545.71
BROWN	165	374	365	+46	141,843.17	27,063.94	72.36	695.63
CARLTON	262	851	751	+66	187,819.59	76,140.25	89.47	423.96
CARVER	116	378	341	+38	108,415.79	38,313.47	101.35	604.33
CASS	324	814	774	+51	241,957.33	90,503.77	330.81	628.31
CHIPPEWA	130	161	234	+21	71,706.94	9,771.70	60.69	477.11
CHISAGO	122	584	448	+42	131,127.25	57,612.05	98.65	602.58
CLAY	263	825	755	+99	295,599.78	134,073.94	162.51	614.16
CLEARWATER	199	283	358	+24	81,544.91	39,112.22	138.20	213.22
COOK	29	96	92	+26	13,921.88	8,789.30	91.55	176.98
COTTONWOOD	99	190	208	+16	82,609.31	19,599.25	103.15	637.27
CROW WING	363	1,226	1,029	+105	307,015.18	152,929.60	124.73	424.47
DAKOTA	350	3,116	2,164	+224	735,707.18	386,096.10	123.90	998.38
DODGE	81	189	188	+11	57,813.11	16,256.29	86.01	513.04
DOUGLAS	246	357	459	+44	139,902.63	35,066.28	98.22	426.16
FARIBAULT	163	279	310	+18	113,491.31	36,491.27	130.79	472.39
FILLMORE	252	202	377	+39	108,538.80	13,772.38	68.18	376.05
FREEBORN	246	647	619	+58	193,257.44	64,070.73	99.02	525.14
GOODHUE	219	495	510	+41	174,213.87	47,178.04	95.30	580.00
GRANT	63	78	111	+2	36,956.62	6,864.54	88.00	477.65
HOUSTON	131	186	236	+23	94,089.28	22,625.32	121.64	551.63
HUBBARD	164	508	443	+40	93,306.96	45,675.99	89.91	260.43
ISANTI	110	627	437	+36	149,225.43	74,514.90	118.84	679.18
ITASCA	403	1,304	1,173	+120	327,075.40	113,348.33	86.92	530.34
JACKSON	76	179	178	+27	46,688.78	14,874.03	83.09	418.61
KANABEC	97	253	249	+21	57,698.49	27,943.82	110.44	306.74
KANDIYOHI	243	653	628	+40	185,477.65	73,523.97	112.59	482.48
KITTSON	85	55	116	-2	73,658.37	7,607.19	138.31	777.07
KOOCHICHING	190	560	497	+37	141,056.73	50,114.32	89.48	475.64
LAC QUI PARLE	88	60	125	+7	48,578.40	6,004.91	100.08	433.78
LAKE	59	220	177	+5	18,250.75	11,918.63	54.17	107.32
LAKE OF THE WOODS	31	39	57	-3	24,282.36	7,031.33	180.29	554.50
LE SUEUR	170	349	367	+31	113,907.44	36,370.21	104.21	456.10
LINCOLN	62	53	93	-1	31,273.00	5,565.97	105.01	414.62
LYON	180	378	406	+33	107,453.91	39,932.80	105.64	375.11

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MCLEOD	157	342	343	+39	$ 115,246.03	$ 29,468.38	$ 91.51	$ 546.35
MAHNOMEN	106	127	187	+23	65,609.80	10,609.43	83.53	513.87
MARSHALL	128	154	214	+7	102,303.53	36,909.15	239.66	512.45
MARTIN	129	515	504	+33	101,442.79	29,710.01	94.92	556.56
MEEKER	143	300	392	+23	127,054.43	40,070.90	133.56	608.30
MILLE LACS	209	626	531	+54	192,193.37	85,678.50	141.38	509.64
MORRISON	357	620	729	+64	251,939.05	98,531.01	144.89	429.71
MOWER	265	839	711	+65	212,475.25	70,576.82	85.13	535.46
MURRAY	90	106	149	+2	65,128.09	9,294.63	87.68	620.37
NICOLLET	106	339	284	+15	91,830.83	23,722.14	79.53	642.55
NOBLES	188	340	379	+32	137,308.92	32,020.93	94.17	560.04
NORMAN	129	70	171	-3	84,420.89	5,999.03	85.70	607.92
OLMSTED	384	1,312	1,167	+126	323,289.33	88,085.15	67.13	612.51
OTTER TAIL	479	582	801	+40	331,267.38	66,712.88	114.62	552.30
PENNINGTON	148	285	285	+17	76,639.34	22,036.88	91.82	368.93
PINE	255	733	643	+49	202,655.59	77,018.18	105.07	492.69
PIPESTONE	118	131	203	+18	63,928.05	19,693.15	131.74	373.17
POLK	357	788	783	+67	249,028.35	90,858.61	115.30	443.05
POPE	139	149	230	+2	95,195.32	9,567.51	60.30	615.88
RED LAKE	50	43	77	+10	40,408.99	7,607.66	176.92	656.02
REDWOOD	153	187	282	+28	86,430.93	15,171.50	81.13	465.74
RENVILLE	191	151	285	+19	161,529.42	15,507.85	102.70	764.51
RICE	213	739	606	+64	238,448.35	75,357.17	101.97	765.68
ROCK	70	123	136	+12	54,171.27	14,857.87	120.63	561.90
ROSEAU	114	130	168	+27	76,765.26	15,685.33	120.65	535.78
SCOTT	146	574	475	+46	199,671.29	87,218.90	151.94	770.22
SHERBURNE	112	765	541	+61	138,292.43	76,576.07	97.54	551.00
SIBLEY	96	152	181	+9	70,441.74	15,731.63	103.49	569.89
STEARNS	536	1,471	1,347	+91	511,552.81	190,996.31	129.84	598.05
STEELE	129	281	291	+20	87,357.01	21,731.01	77.33	508.72
STEVENS	87	75	131	+6	35,537.50	7,810.62	104.14	313.69
SWIFT	135	223	257	+15	71,354.66	17,164.14	76.96	405.11
TODD	319	565	575	+28	156,657.77	44,557.05	95.82	444.82
TRAVERSE	65	43	92	+7	28,577.27	3,833.94	89.16	386.82
WABASHA	135	217	269	+47	84,809.83	22,143.31	102.04	464.19
WADENA	193	364	377	+12	113,324.56	36,260.89	99.61	359.29
WASECA	91	290	249	+24	82,347.40	34,415.79	118.67	526.72
WASHINGTON	280	1,891	1,382	+161	432,465.09	230,524.25	121.90	721.21
WATONWAN	54	178	156	+27	56,962.83	14,181.30	79.67	755.20
WILKIN	93	154	185	+25	73,487.31	17,748.63	115.25	599.36
WINONA	242	933	742	+104	195,623.30	89,090.31	95.49	440.13
WRIGHT	220	1,171	875	+66	295,602.48	165,929.18	141.69	589.42
YELLOW MEDICINE	136	115	205	+23	94,366.71	14,507.92	132.94	587.19
INDOCHINESE CASES	41	7,059	3,339	+343	1,015,599.46	1,007,976.52	143.81	185.92

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TABLE VI.

MINNESOTA MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
RECIPIENTS RECEIVING MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ONLY

COUNTY	ADULT CASES	C.T. & CHILD	TOTAL CASES	CHANGE FROM MAY	TOTAL MA PAYMENTS	MA PAYMENTS FAMILIES W/CHILDREN	AVG C.T. & CHILD.	AVG ADULT CASE
TOTAL STATE	39,217	9,308	46,367	+2,570	$ 29,638,980.27	$2,874,400.84	$ 308.80	$682.47
TOTAL URBAN	16,610	3,375	19,418	+1,127	9,224,056.97	1,173,983.64	347.84	484.65
HENNEPIN	9,116	1,368	10,275	+511	1,075,283.29	545,919.37	399.06	58.06
RAMSEY	4,696	1,202	5,699	+323	5,384,385.85	458,239.07	381.23	1,049.00
ST LOUIS	2,798	805	3,444	+293	2,764,387.83	169,825.20	210.96	927.29
TOTAL RURAL	22,607	5,933	26,949	+1,443	20,414,923.30	1,700,417.20	286.60	827.81
AITKIN	207	72	255		173,093.11	803.57	11.16	832.31
ANOKA	633	340	912	+34	828,080.59	117,444.11	345.42	1,122.64
BECKER	363	132	451	+23	328,920.29	28,918.93	219.08	826.45
BELTRAMI	303	221	458	+28	287,035.32	58,804.06	266.08	753.23
BENTON	260	80	311	+1	224,226.59	26,003.36	325.04	762.39
BIG STONE	132	11	142	-12	98,527.09	3,842.44	349.31	717.30
BLUE EARTH	402	146	522	+28	381,146.07	32,991.76	225.97	866.05
BROWN	331	46	366	+20	335,184.50	7,802.08	169.61	989.07
CARLTON	334	87	407	+33	257,191.04	15,788.24	181.47	722.76
CARVER	223	55	258	+14	236,257.27	8,295.11	150.82	1,022.25
CASS	239	88	308	+3	209,554.98	24,208.89	275.10	775.50
CHIPPEWA	231	38	256	+16	185,531.75	6,343.02	166.92	775.70
CHISAGO	183	72	238	+3	197,439.39	35,062.99	486.98	887.30
CLAY	315	85	383	+5	287,291.57	21,746.72	255.84	842.99
CLEARWATER	197	63	243	-2	170,746.69	10,720.53	170.16	812.31
COOK	61	9	68	+7	58,914.03	2,444.64	271.62	925.72
COTTONWOOD	177	19	194	+5	142,260.82	5,614.68	295.50	772.01
CROW WING	438	212	610	+44	429,910.11	44,166.39	208.33	880.69
DAKOTA	664	265	874	+70	810,368.32	142,967.00	539.49	1,005.12
DODGE	139	14	150	+8	130,441.00	5,670.97	405.06	897.62
DOUGLAS	345	65	394	+18	272,487.62	14,717.95	226.43	747.15
FARIBAULT	260	50	295	+17	179,697.11	4,022.41	80.44	675.67
FILLMORE	342	63	389	+20	259,901.61	9,723.67	154.34	731.51
FREEBORN	371	57	423	+30	274,282.34	11,025.28	193.42	709.58
GOODHUE	424	45	464	+12	367,549.76	10,292.65	228.72	842.58
GRANT	115	18	130	+9	107,577.40	11,789.00	654.94	832.94
HOUSTON	187	48	223	+7	160,058.42	4,286.39	89.29	833.00
HUBBARD	234	145	335	+35	178,305.98	17,008.07	117.29	689.30
ISANTI	178	67	229	+7	199,268.64	42,739.19	637.89	879.37
ITASCA	481	158	612	+51	526,231.64	72,982.21	461.91	942.30
JACKSON	177	61	222	+16	165,423.30	11,445.62	187.63	869.93
KANABEC	145	37	176	+16	149,754.91	6,359.42	171.87	988.93
KANDIYOHI	375	87	447	+30	292,823.87	20,826.92	239.38	725.32
KITTSON	114	5	118		116,975.79	483.15	96.63	1,021.86
KOOCHICHING	232	111	306	+19	202,994.89	22,480.75	202.52	778.07
LAC QUI PARLE	170	7	175	+10	102,692.93	250.50	35.78	602.60
LAKE	73	11	82	+4	47,218.68	3,080.11	280.01	604.63
LAKE OF THE WOODS	47	5	50	-3	67,145.85	14,854.46	2,970.89	1,112.58
LE SUEUR	287	16	301	-2	284,969.88	3,233.18	202.07	981.66
LINCOLN	128	14	139	+5	153,812.03	9,293.39	663.81	1,129.05
LYON	252	36	279	+16	200,909.31	4,092.52	113.68	781.01

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COUNTY	ADULT CASES	C.T. & CHILD	TOTAL CASES	CHANGE FROM MAY	TOTAL MA PAYMENTS	MA PAYMENTS FAMILIES W/CHILDREN	AVG C.T. & CHILD.	AVG ADULT CASE
MCLEOD	245	41	278		$ 270,497.07	$ 16,484.53	$ 402.06	$ 1,036.78
MAHNOMEN	64	64	101	+10	54,036.29	8,842.02	138.15	706.16
MARSHALL	166	55	208	+19	155,067.54	9,650.79	175.46	876.00
MARTIN	239	29	261	+17	151,167.15	13,810.53	476.22	574.71
MEEKER	237	50	271	+24	255,155.15	25,083.21	501.66	970.76
MILLE LACS	270	70	330	+6	222,071.23	2,336.65-	33.38-	831.14
MORRISON	449	116	531	+55	286,065.71	19,929.42	171.80	592.73
MOWER	461	149	582	+38	383,289.11	13,142.76	88.20	802.92
MURRAY	97	20	113	+10	83,286.93	4,191.02	209.55	815.42
NICOLLET	176	19	194	-6	197,410.77	3,885.45	204.49	1,099.57
NOBLES	210	21	229	+11	125,901.01	5,475.94	260.75	573.45
NORMAN	158	21	171	-19	114,599.96	3,479.10	165.67	703.29
OLMSTED	617	103	713	+36	513,499.40	49,710.93	482.63	751.68
OTTER TAIL	746	180	864	+93	659,688.70	56,544.80	314.13	808.50
PENNINGTON	158	69	208	+25	106,591.04	6,552.30	94.96	633.15
PINE	290	123	375	+28	262,533.30	13,334.60	108.41	859.30
PIPESTONE	132	28	153	+14	87,676.16	1,399.97	49.99	653.60
POLK	548	126	632	+13	425,680.49	29,712.12	235.81	722.57
POPE	167	24	185	+3	122,417.06	5,541.31	230.88	699.85
RED LAKE	73	28	91	+7	60,796.91	4,055.21	144.82	777.28
REDWOOD	222	32	244	+18	188,694.28	4,113.15	128.53	831.44
RENVILLE	265	39	293	+1	221,106.86	3,981.57	102.09	819.34
RICE	398	42	435	+29	509,366.93	111,603.45	2,657.22	999.40
ROCK	91	7	97	+1	50,623.89	306.00	43.71	552.94
ROSEAU	149	58	193	+13	140,125.74	13,138.00	226.51	852.26
SCOTT	268	67	320	+19	340,692.43	21,338.72	318.48	1,191.61
SHERBURNE	175	70	228	+3	150,470.22	5,886.90	84.09	826.19
SIBLEY	190	19	200	+14	164,523.12	815.92	42.94	861.61
STEARNS	834	196	987	+48	844,421.59	124,088.74	633.10	863.70
STEELE	215	32	241	+1	214,056.75	12,301.04	384.40	938.39
STEVENS	123	31	147	-1	102,961.96	1,563.64	50.44	824.37
SWIFT	199	27	215	+10	142,775.62	5,053.17	187.15	692.07
TODD	384	145	481	+43	297,674.46	19,185.86	132.31	725.23
TRAVERSE	116	22	130		82,266.36	1,604.59	72.93	695.36
WABASHA	230	22	249	+8	180,722.40	4,080.39	185.47	768.00
WADENA	187	76	228	+11	137,116.54	7,742.03	101.86	691.84
WASECA	192	17	205	+3	192,605.47	5,203.16	306.06	976.05
WASHINGTON	464	140	581	+53	601,415.70	38,284.48	273.46	1,213.64
WATONWAN	126	26	147	+9	99,970.88	4,618.15	177.62	756.76
WILKIN	144	29	166	+2	142,337.02	9,778.78	337.19	920.54
WINONA	443	107	527	+38	368,274.68	60,219.09	562.79	695.38
WRIGHT	364	93	436	+28	378,767.56	40,536.05	435.87	929.20
YELLOW MEDICINE	179	17	192	+20	140,651.31	1,339.82	78.81	778.27
INDOCHINESE CASES	377	122	322	+43	103,668.06	20,518.81	168.18	220.55

TABLE VII

Minnesota
Supplemental Security Income
and
Supplemental Aid
Recipients, Payments, Average Grants
By County - June, 1981

County	Supplemental Security Income Persons	Average Grant	Payments*	MSA Persons Not Receiving SSI	Supplemental Aid Persons	Average Grant	Payments*
Aitkin	189	$126.80	$ 23,965	6	66	$ 62.00	$ 4,092
Anoka	370	151.05	55,890	15	151	76.53	11,556
Becker	423	126.15	53,360	6	89	111.88	9,957
Beltrami	481	131.62	63,311	7	107	66.26	7,090
Benton	168	124.97	20,995	3	50	64.70	3,235
Big Stone	101	97.64	9,862	2	36	34.72	1,250
Blue Earth	324	120.23	38,955	13	103	39.33	4,051
Brown	154	100.79	15,521	-	61	30.82	1,880
Carlton	377	110.56	41,682	17	83	101.33	8,410
Carver	115	132.17	15,200	4	49	89.16	4,369
Cass	504	106.87	53,862	9	85	50.12	4,260
Chippewa	130	95.84	12,459	-	42	41.28	1,734
Chisago	127	110.65	14,052	1	48	52.27	2,509
Clay	272	129.39	35,193	23	109	86.78	9,459
Clearwater	240	118.13	28,350	3	38	95.92	3,645
Cook	27	108.26	2,923	1	10	101.92	1,019
Cottonwood	136	111.59	15,177	4	33	28.30	934
Crow Wing	608	108.86	66,186	11	101	80.51	8,132
Dakota	395	139.85	55,242	16	170	71.59	12,171
Dodge	92	111.24	10,234	1	13	151.48	1,969
Douglas	323	125.83	40,644	9	93	88.00	8,184
Fillmore	276	106.05	29,271	10	65	79.98	5,199
Freeborn	245	120.02	29,404	13	93	109.30	10,165
Goodhue	269	112.57	30,282	4	85	36.48	3,101
Grant	83	84.81	7,039	1	17	46.35	788
Hennepin	6,664	146.02	973,057	253	2,752	107.40	295,562
Houston	162	101.18	16,392	2	43	66.80	2,872
Hubbard	196	121.57	23,827	1	28	76.32	2,137
Isanti	347	55.66	19,313	8	56	74.21	4,156
Itasca	407	124.70	50,754	30	142	153.77	21,835
Jackson	89	134.66	11,985	-	29	67.48	1,957
Kanabec	128	129.41	16,564	4	34	89.08	3,029
Kandiyohi	427	89.16	38,070	4	72	60.47	4,354
Kittson	95	101.32	9,625	1	35	35.69	1,249
Koochiching	178	119.70	21,306	4	49	76.51	3,749
Lac Qui Parle	80	101.56	8,125	2	31	69.61	2,158
Lake	68	133.70	9,092	4	32	111.74	3,576
Lake of the Woods	45	125.73	5,658	2	11	14.55	160
LeSueur	163	120.87	19,701	11	50	48.36	2,418
Region VIII No.**	387	107.98	41,786	3	77	50.55	3,892
McLeod	190	99.45	18,895	3	61	59.28	3,616
Mahnomen	100	123.36	12,336	4	33	40.67	1,342
Marshall	135	134.54	18,164	6	45	90.25	4,061
Martin***	338	103.72	35,059	7	122	85.64	10,448
Meeker	170	114.13	19,401	5	67	57.36	3,843

TABLE VII Cont.

Minnesota
Supplemental Security Income
and
Supplemental Aid
Continued

County	Supplemental Security Income Persons	Supplemental Security Income Average Grant	Supplemental Security Income Payments*	MSA Persons Not Receiving SSI	Supplemental Aid Persons	Supplemental Aid Average Grant	Supplemental Aid Payments*
Mille Lacs	226	$131.40	$ 29,695	6	50	$ 68.37	$ 3,419
Morrison	360	120.26	43,294	8	119	46.82	5,571
Mower	319	134.86	43,021	8	100	43.72	4,800
Nicollet	102	104.53	11,911	7	64	48.95	3,300
Nobles	183	116.09	21,402	3	60	71.71	4,048
Norman	105	89.66	9,310	2	13	50.74	1,489
Olmsted	482	114.63	55,251	24	157	70.25	12,029
Otter Tail	754	101.17	76,279	12	156	66.97	10,447
Pennington	190	125.26	23,800	8	53	131.98	6,995
Pine	367	132.47	35,368	11	80	93.38	7,470
Pipestone	124	108.80	13,491	2	28	19.93	558
Polk	401	100.23	40,191	9	123	75.32	9,264
Pope	113	109.53	12,377	1	46	74.67	3,435
Ramsey	5,447	193.67	500,697	150	1,355	107.50	145,781
Red Lake	40	125.53	5,272	-	18	126.28	2,273
Redwood	182	119.13	21,682	2	49	102.51	5,023
Renville	172	114.27	19,655	1	72	46.25	3,330
Rice	604	76.01	45,910	13	97	86.90	8,429
Rock	77	100.22	7,717	3	20	28.75	575
Roseau	172	110.06	18,930	10	48	142.86	6,858
St. Louis	2,062	133.20	274,650	174	949	170.49	161,790
Scott	147	116.16	17,076	3	58	58.16	3,374
Sherburne	155	120.72	18,712	5	44	111.16	4,891
Sibley	86	122.99	10,577	2	30	58.03	1,741
Stearns	644	122.96	79,184	16	200	53.15	10,630
Steele	131	110.99	14,539	6	59	110.36	6,512
Stevens	105	121.72	12,781	5	30	72.13	2,164
Swift	151	104.34	15,756	2	28	27.21	762
Todd	355	116.85	41,481	14	126	74.34	9,069
Traverse	61	86.47	5,275	-	17	54.88	933
Wabasha	155	100.01	15,501	4	46	99.32	4,569
Wadena	278	119.22	33,144	2	41	81.12	3,326
Waseca	98	115.73	11,341	2	21	80.86	1,698
Washington	260	143.06	37,196	23	149	102.80	15,317
Wilkin	70	102.36	7,165	3	30	77.30	2,319
Winona	262	121.68	31,881	10	62	108.24	6,711
Wright	269	110.78	29,799	13	90	91.73	8,256
Yellow Medicine	150	103.83	15,574	-	45	28.20	1,269
County Unknown	3	155.39	467				
TOTAL	30,622	$126.53	$3,874,520	1,102	10,337	$ 96.36	$996,107

*May not add due to rounding.
**Includes Lincoln, Lyon and Murray Counties.
***Includes Faribault, Martin and Watonwan Counties.

TECHNICAL NOTES

Table I — Application activity for the AFDC Program does not include applications for medical only needs.

Table II — Under MA, total Persons Concurrently Receiving AFDC are not included when calculating the total number of persons receiving assistance. This is done to unduplicate the total count since these people are already counted under the AFDC Program.

Table III — This table does not include cases and payments made under the Emergency Assistance Program.

Table IV — The sixteen (16) counties identified by the Census Bureau as metropolitan (SMSA's) are separated into urban and suburban. The urban counties are Hennepin, Ramsey, and St. Louis, and the suburban counties are the thirteen (13) other SMSA counties. These counties are noted (U) and (S) respectively.

Two multi-county agencies are labelled as follows: F-M-V #38 includes Faribault, Martin, and Watonwan Counties; Region VIII North includes Lincoln, Lyon, and Murray Counties.

Tables V & VI — Medical Assistance - The program is broken into two components:

(1) Those recipients who had a vendor payment made in their behalf and are not concurrently receiving a money payment (the MA-Only group).

(2) Those recipients who are concurrently receiving a money payment (AFDC, SSI, MSA) and a medical vendor payment was also made in their behalf.

The counts are of people in whose behalf a payment was made out of the State's Centralized Medical Payments System during the month specified.

GLOSSARY

AFDC-UB	AFDC UB . . . An unborn child is included under the definition of child in the AFDC Program and grants are determined accordingly. For this reason, we have counted them as recipients. It is possible for a case which is currently receiving money under another subprogram (such as Unemployed Father or Regular AFDC) to receive an additional amount due to the presence of an unborn child. In instances such as this, the unborn will appear in the child count, but there will be no case or caretaker count since they are carried under the other subprogram.
EPSDT	Early Periodic Screening and Diagnostic Treatment
GAMC	General Assistance Medical Care
HMO	Health Maintenance Organization
Nursing Home ICF-I	Intermediate Care Facility (High Care)
ICF-II	Intermediate Care Facility (Minimum Care)
ICF-MR	Intermediate Care Facility (Mentally Retarded)
OAA-SSI	Old Age Assistance - Recurrently Receiving Supplemental Security Income
OAA-MAO	Old Age Assistance, Medical Assistance Only
P.T., O.T., S.T. Audiology in Nursing Home	Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Therapy
Podiatrist Service	Specializing in Foot Care Services
State Institution MR (ICF)	Mentally Retarded, Intermediate Care Facility
SMSA	Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area is a county or a group of contiguous counties which contain at least one city of 50,000 population. In addition to the county of counties containing such cities, contiguous counties are included in such areas if they are essentially metropolitan in character and are socially and economically integrated.
TB	Tuberculosis

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July, 1981 - In Summary

All Programs - Persons aided in July, 1981 totalled 221,302, a decline of 15,969 (-6.7%) from the previous month. Most (59.6%) of this trend represents persons receiving only medical care, as fewer medical claims were processed in July. Another 36.0% represents the termination of "employable" persons from the General Assistance program, as GA eligibility was restricted by the 1981 Legislature. Also contributing to the decline was the transfer of AFDC-Foster Care children from the Income Maintenance programs (AFDC) to Social Services (July 1, 1981).

The persons who were terminated from GA eligibility were from all age groups with most in the under 35 category. Also, there were more males than females that lost eligibility.

July expenditures were down $17,798,620 (-20.1%) as a result of the fewer medical claims processed. This included the absence of high cost claims for the cost of care of patients in state facilities for the mentally retarded and mentally ill. The AFDC program was the only program recording higher costs, as the higher standard (+7%) became effective July 1, 1981.

The annual trend in persons and expenditures shows more persons aided, accounted for primarily by persons in AFDC families, and slightly lower expenditures, accounted for by the lower medical bill this year.

Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) - Despite the removal of foster care from AFDC, maintenance payments for July rose to $18,180,900, surpassing such costs for June, 1981 by $1,082,224 (6.3%). Factors contributing to increased costs were a 7.0% rise in the basic standard, effective July 1, and a decline in IV-D collections of $422,154. In comparison with July, 1980, expenditures were 9.0% greater, thereby reflecting an increase of 0.75% per month throughout this 12-month period. Beginning with July, 1981, data on foster care payments, cases and children are excluded from the AFDC program reporting since this category is now the responsibility of the Social Service Bureau. Also, foster care approvals, closings and denials will not be included in the totals for Table I.

Cases receiving payment continued to drop for the third month in succession. Paid cases in July were 1,501 (2.7%) fewer than in the previous month. This is contrary to past experience for cases typically increase during July. The reduction is attributable to the elimination of foster care which accounted for nearly 90% of the monthly change. The remaining 10% represented stepparent cases which were terminated during June. Although an injunction stayed this implementation of the stepparent law, time was insufficient to reinstate all these cases. As a result, such cases will appear on the August payroll and will receive a retroactive grant for July. According to the case information file, 5,554 cases were closed in June because of stepparent situations. Of these, 2,737 were due to a stepparent accepting full responsibility for the child and 2,817 because the child was no longer deprived of parental support. Normally these two reasons pertain to approximately 220 cases per month. In July, 4,519 cases were reopened as a result of a change in state law or assistance program policy compared to a monthly

average of five cases. Cases opened in July for economic reasons were 402 (15.2%) greater than June. Total openings reported for July reached 7,963, of which 6,186 (77.7%) were reopened cases. Generally, reopened cases comprise 44% to 50% of the total approved cases each month. Closings numbered 6,378. For every case closed, there were 1.25 cases opened.

Unemployed parents, following two months of decline, reversed its downward trend and climbed to 4,489 paid cases or 195 (4.5%) above June, 1981. Percentagewise, the rural counties increased 5.9% and the SMSA counties 3.7%. In contrast, the regular cases dipped 602 (1.2%), a reflection of the effect of the stepparent law. Paid cases for unemployed parents in the current month were 1,719 (62.1%) higher than in July, 1980. The unborn segments changes were insignificant.

It is anticipated cases and costs will rise in August as a result of the policy changes discussed above.

Emergency Assistance (EA) - Expenditures for Emergency Assistance remained relatively stable, declining only $3,655 (1.0%) below June, 1981. In contrast, costs were $80,365 (18.2%) less than in July, 1980. Over the 12-month period, beginning with August, 1980 and continuing through July, 1981, payments averaged $362,611 per month. Utilities and eviction were the two most significant causal factors encompassing $273,685 (76.0%) of the total outlay. These two emergencies are obviously more prevalent within the more heavily populated counties, consuming 81.0% of urban and 80.4% of suburban county costs, compared with 39.4% for the rural counties. No Employment was the predominant emergency for families within the rural counties. AFDC families received 65.4% of the expended monies.

Cases rose to 1,371, an increment of 52 (3.9%) above June and 336 (19.7%) below July, 1980. The AFDC cases represented 69.4% of the total cases. A preponderance of the AFDC cases receiving EA (83.8%) resided in the urban counties. Of the total cases receiving EA within the urban counties, four out of five were AFDC cases. This ratio changes to one out of three for suburban counties and two out of five for the rural counties.

Families other than AFDC received a total of $124,723 of which $87,442 (70.1%) was disbursed for utilities and eviction. Within the emergency categories of Utilities and Evictions, AFDC cases incurred costs of $186,243 or 79.1% of the total expenditure. Two other prominent factors contributing to emergency assistance for "other families" was unemployment and migrancy which together accounted for 18.7% of all their costs. All other types of emergencies played a minor role as contributors to need.

Minnesota Supplemental Aid (MSA) - July was characterized by fewer recipients and lower costs. Recipients totalling 10,292 were 45 (0.4%) below the previous month and 168 (1.6%) fewer than one year ago. Expenditures during July reached $952,698. This is $43,409 (4.4%) less than June, a record month but in retrospect is $20,660 (2.2%) more than July, 1980.

The average grant for the month was $92.57, $3.79 (3.9%) below June. This decline occurred in all recipient categories with the aged, blind and disabled falling $2.95 (3.9%), $13.49 (13.5%), and $3.86 (3.7%) respectively.

The urban counties were the major contributors to the payment decline. They accounted for approximately two-thirds of the expenditure change across the three categories. The greatest dollar change was the $30,109.17 decline recorded within the disabled category. This represented 92.7% of the monthly disabled decrease. The urban counties sustained a $5,079 decline within the aged category and accounted for 60.5% of the dollar change occurring there.

The urban counties also recorded a decline within the blind segment. This totalled $2,209 and represented 80.5% of the change experienced. A number of factors were responsible for these changes. They were lower payments resulting from new (initial) cases, corrections, and special needs in addition to higher refunds and cancellations.

General Assistance (GA) - The number of applications processed in July 1981 was 3,963. Of these 3,131 (79.0%) were approved. This number approved is 20.7% less than the figure for June. The total number of persons receiving GA for July, 1981, was 11,934. This was 5,741 (32.5%) less than June, 1981 and 2,710 (18.5%) less than July, 1980. The average grant (gross dollars) per person for July, 1981, was $172.16. This was $11.96 (7.5%) more than June, 1981, and $36.12 (26.6%) more than July, 1980.

All of the above statistics give indication of the changes resulting from the changes in the GA Program. In addition to the conventional financial tests for GA eligibility, a recipient must now meet the requirements in one of eight eligibility categories, unless the local county takes total financial responsibility for the assistance payment. In abbreviated form, the eight categories are as follows. A recipient must be a person who:

(a) is suffering from illness, injury, or incapacity;
(b) is needed in the home to care for another family member;
(c) has been placed in a physical or mental health or rehabilitation facility;
(d) resides in a battered women's shelter;
(e) is a displaced homemaker;
(f) is unable to secure suitable employment due to a lack of English language skill;
(g) is not in (a) or (c) above, and whose mental illness prevents suitable employment; or
(h) is unable to secure suitable employment due to a lack of marketable job skills.

The category (h) eligibility is limited to five weeks per calendar year, but experience indicates that some persons, who were eligible according to (h), have later documented other eligibility, and thus continue receiving assistance.

The total impact of the program changes will not be evident until late in 1981, but already in July some impact is manifest. In July there were 12,444 cases eligible, which is 31.6% below June's figure. There were 8,654 eligible cases continued to August, which is 7.1% below the number continued to July. The average grant per person was $160.20 in June and $172.16 in July.

Medical Assistance (MA) - July marked the return to a typical two warrant (payment) cycle period. As a consequence, both recipient numbers and expenditures diminished.

Recipients numbered 124,143 in July and represented a reduction of 37,149 (23.0%) from the previous month and 5,687 (4.4%) higher than one year ago.

The decline in AFDC utilization alone totalled 27,628 recipients and accounted for 74.4% of recipient change.

July's expenditure, at $49,377,081, was $18,056,682 (26.8%) less than June and $2,305,851 (4.5%) under one year ago. This was influenced by the absence of state institutional payments, whose payments fell from $6,067,830 in June to $176,253 in July. Lower AFDC utilization had no significant effect on expenditures since these fell by only $238,731 (3.6%).

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS
(excluding Food Stamps, General Assistance Medical Care and Supplemental Security Income)

July, 1981

S n and Year	Total Recipients	Total Expenditures	Average Expenditures Per Person
y, 1980	213,540	$ 71,731,931	$ 335.92
ust	221,533	72,088,594	325.41
tember	221,992	71,512,262	322.14
ober	225,491	72,903,076	323.31
ember	221,832	65,142,709	293.66
cember	230,822	85,125,243	368.79
nuary, 1981	228,931	74,320,705	324.64
bruary	231,474	75,220,485	324.96
rch	234,684	72,163,521	307.49
ril	234,026	77,976,900	333.20
y	232,204	87,645,420	377.45
ne	237,271	88,723,949	373.94
ly, 1981	221,302	$ 70,925,329	$ 320.46
ugust, 1980 through July, 1981	Average 228,464	Total $ 913,748,193	Average $ 333.29
		Average $ 76,145,683	

Supplemental Security Income

July, 1981

TRENDS Month and Year	Recipients	Expenditures	Average Grant
July, 1980	31,597	$ 3,542,242	$ 112.11
August	31,573	3,548,645	112.39
September	31,500	3,540,854	112.41
October	31,440	3,542,627	112.68
November	31,331	3,535,907	112.86
December	31,201	3,521,770	112.87
January, 1981	31,131	3,524,639	113.22
February	30,977	3,512,318	113.38
March	30,961	3,516,065	113.56
April	30,909	3,523,040	113.98
May	30,842	3,518,118	114.07
June	30,622	3,874,520	126.53
July, 1981	30,509	$ 3,859,774	$ 126.51

AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN *

July, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Average Net Per Case	Expenditure Per Person
July, 1980	51,281	138,759	$ 16,684,257	$ 325.35	$ 120.24
August	52,243	142,170	17,257,442	330.33	121.39
September	52,870	143,676	17,199,984	325.33	119.71
October	53,460	144,793	17,396,988	325.42	120.15
November	53,603	144,944	17,363,383	323.93	119.79
December	53,856	145,634	16,954,516	314.82	116.42
January, 1981	54,471	147,664	17,420,320	319.81	117.97
February	55,062	149,657	17,916,037	325.38	119.72
March	55,565	151,408	17,662,085	317.87	116.66
April	56,011	152,775	17,877,980	319.18	117.02
May	55,784	151,830	17,856,864	320.11	117.61
June	55,441	150,497	17,098,676	308.41	113.61
July, 1981	54,020	148,484	$ 18,180,900	$ 336.57	$ 122.44

*Does not include Emergency Assistance

CASES AND PAYMENTS BY SUB-PROGRAM

	Families	Persons	Children	Caretakers	Total Net Payments	Avg. Grant Per Case	Avg. Grant Per Person
Total	54,020*	148,484	96,494	51,990	$18,180,900	$336.57	$122.44
AFDC Protective Money Payment	674	1,715	1,275	440	244,579	362.88	142.61
AFDC Payments to Unemployed Parents	4,489	18,836	9,963	8,873	2,111,860	470.45	112.12
AFDC Payments to Unborn	2,104	3,378	2,104	1,274	538,393	255.89	159.38
AFDC Payments to Other Children	47,530	124,555	83,152	41,403	$15,286,068	$321.61	$122.73

*Unduplicated total; therefore, families by segment will not add to total.

SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTS

Type of Special Needs	Cases	Persons	Payments
Major Home Repair	18	61	$ 2,368
Repair of Major Appliance	18	67	1,054
Utility Recaps	--	--	--
Supplementary Dietary Needs	21	62	1,402
Replacement of Essential Household Furnishings or Major Appliances	223	703	27,765
TOTAL	280	893	$ 32,589

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - July, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Average Net Expenditure Per Case	Average Net Expenditure Per Person
July, 1980	1,707	5,835	$ 440,506	$ 258.06	$ 75.50
August	1,613	5,490	393,260	243.81	64.61
September	1,763	6,087	459,990	260.92	75.57
October	1,828	6,152	502,040	274.64	81.61
November	1,174	4,204	292,319	248.99	69.53
December	1,277	4,260	314,980	246.66	73.94
January, 1981	1,180	3,986	300,883	254.99	75.48
February	1,093	3,548	268,512	245.67	75.68
March	1,118	3,672	305,996	273.70	83.34
April	1,264	4,293	346,297	273.97	80.67
May	1,482	5,107	443,115	298.99	86.76
June	1,319	4,602	363,796	275.81	79.05
July, 1981	1,371	4,735	$ 360,141	$262.68	$ 76.06

SUB-PROGRAM AND DEFINED EMERGENCIES

	Families	Persons	Adults	Children	Total Net Payment	Av. Grant Per Case	Maintenance	Medical
Total	1,371	4,735	1,779	2,956	$ 360,141	$ 262.68	$ 359,887	$ 254
AFDC Families	951	3,139	1,129	2,010	235,417	247.54	235,417	--
Other Families	420	1,596	650	946	$124,724	$296.96	$ 124,470	$254

Defined Emergency	Families	Persons	Expenditures
Fire	4	12	$ 1,042
Strike	5	24	1,898
Illness	7	23	1,714
Accident	5	14	1,003
Death	5	15	1,142
Eviction from Shelter	305	967	103,370
Migrant Family in Need	55	239	12,127
No Employment	59	222	15,436
Utilities	577	1,996	170,315
Emergency Fuel	--	--	--
No Furniture/Appliances - Ramsey County only	208	731	15,323
Other	239	830	$ 36,771
		Total	$ 360,141
		Money Payments	$ 46,429
		Vendor Payments	$ 313,712

MINNESOTA SUPPLEMENTAL AID - July, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Expenditure Per Person
July, 1980	10,460	$ 932,038	$ 89.10
August	10,394	890,359	85.66
September	10,439	843,875	80.84
October	10,478	836,338	79.82
November	10,393	872,394	83.94
December	10,390	906,986	87.29
January, 1981	10,493	956,893	91.19
February	10,411	957,577	91.98
March	10,401	962,024	92.49
April	10,465	951,031	91.01
May	10,392	977,151	94.03
June	10,337	996,107	96.36
July, 1981	10,292	$ 952,698	$ 92.57

BY SUB-PROGRAM

	Recipients	Cost	Average Grant
Aged	3,025	$ 217,571	$ 71.92
Blind	159	13,754	86.50
Disabled	7,108	$ 721,374	$ 101.49

MINNESOTA GENERAL ASSISTANCE * - July, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Expenditures	Average Expenditure Per Case	Average Expenditure Per Person
July, 1980	12,951	14,644	$1,992,198	$153.83	$136.04
August	14,301	16,073	2,450,530	171.35	152.46
September	14,579	16,336	2,535,381	173.91	155.20
October	15,112	16,855	2,545,188	168.42	151.00
November	14,432	15,969	2,540,874	176.06	159.11
December	15,357	17,276	2,743,139	178.62	158.78
January, 1981	16,362	18,209	2,869,428	175.37	157.58
February	16,843	18,694	2,959,627	175.72	158.32
March	17,471	19,444	3,144,557	179.99	161.72
April	17,059	19,003	3,062,926	179.55	161.18
May	16,063	17,783	2,861,033	178.11	160.89
June	15,804	17,675	2,831,607	179.17	160.20
July, 1981	10,692	11,934	$2,054,509	$192.15	$172.16

BY CASE TYPE

	Recipients	Cost	Average Grant
Single	10,027	$1,878,686	$187.36
Families with Children	1,273	106,551	83.70
Families with Adults Only	634	$ 69,272	$109.26

* Includes post-closing cases and payments.

GA Subprogram Payment Trends

	Emergency Need[4]	Special Need[2,7]	Board & Room[2,5]	Unwed Mother[1,2,3]	State Hospital[6]	Battered Women's Shelter Care	Emergency Fuel Assistance	Non-Specified Need Type	Total
1980 August	$140,180	$13,227	$400,730	$7,114	$7,429	$27,823	$ 0	$1,854,027	$2,450,530
September	152,515	17,985	405,981	8,071	6,123	67,473	0	1,877,233	2,535,381
October	131,332	14,074	593,250	7,860	6,084	77,466	9,639	1,705,484	2,545,188
November	113,240	12,499	616,649	7,244	5,706	71,775	19,129	1,694,633	2,540,874
December	157,629	15,364	631,359	9,085	6,668	83,745	15,384	1,823,906	2,743,139
1981 January	155,398	14,855	669,727	5,844	6,406	74,975	6,194	1,936,029	2,869,428
February	130,109	14,607	702,211	4,971	7,761	59,189	11,218	2,029,561	2,959,627
March	130,721	13,935	743,659	5,269	7,655	77,991	9,098	2,156,227	3,144,557
April	112,115	13,191	751,362	5,762	7,858	90,348	6,768	2,075,523	3,062,926
May	119,418	15,654	730,162	4,608	9,246	72,375	166	1,909,404	2,861,033
June	121,361	10,429	714,677	4,426	8,331	97,696	0	1,874,686	2,831,607
July	73,630	2,528	534,444	3,178	7,787	52,619	0	1,380,322	2,054,509

(1)Ramsey does not report.
(2)St. Louis does not report.
(3)Anoka does not report.
(4)Ramsey did not report prior to November 1980.
(5)Ramsey did not report prior to October 1980.
(6)St. Louis did not report prior to March 1981.
(7)Ramsey County did not report prior to May 1981.

NOTE: Rows may not add to totals due to rounding.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - July, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Recipients(1)	Expenditures	Average Expenditure Per Person
July, 1980	118,456	$ 51,682,932	$ 436.30
August	128,541	51,097,004	397.52
September	125,712	50,473,032	401.50
October	134,519	51,622,522	383.76
November	121,900	44,073,739	361.56
December	156,465	64,205,622	410.35
January, 1981	131,952	52,773,181	399.94
February	137,246	53,118,732	387.03
March	134,186	50,088,859	373.28
April	136,234	55,738,666	409.14
May	139,162	65,507,257	470.73
June	161,292	67,433,763	481.08
July, 1981	124,143	$49,377,081	$ 397.74

(1) Recipient counts represent the number of persons for whom services were paid through the State Centralized Medicaid Payments System. Excluded from the count are persons for whom only the Buy-In Premium payment was made.

RECIPIENTS AND EXPENDITURES BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY

	Eligible Persons	Recipients	Expenditures
Concurrently Receiving AFDC	152,092	66,143	$ 6,431,668
Concurrently Receiving MSA/SSI			
Aged	11,384	8,103	3,583,905
Blind	388	269	115,673
Disabled	15,684	11,324	6,844,208
MA-Only Recipients			
Aged	27,942	24,893	24,207,600
Blind	140	119	95,503
Disabled	8,559	6,831	6,310,918
Families with Children			
AFDC Related	2,342	1,308	269,781
Needy Children	8,829	5,153	1,517,825
Total	227,360	124,143	$49,377,081

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS AND EXPENDITURES
By Category of Service (1)

July, 1981

SERVICE CATEGORY	RECIPIENTS	EXPENDITURES	FYTD EXPENDITURES
Inpatient Hospital, General	4,729	$ 6,060,359	$ 6,060,359
Inpatient Hospital, T.B.	--	--	--
Inpatient Hospital, Mental	--	--	--
Crippled Children's Hospital/Convalescent	--	--	--
Mental Health Service	1,211	93,672	93,672
Outpatient Hospital, General	15,219	916,330	916,330
HMO	608	25,867	25,867
Rehabilitation Services	232	35,470	35,470
Nursing Home, Skilled	16,418	18,959,327	18,959,327
Nursing Home, T.B.	--	--	--
Nursing Home, ICF-MR	3,792	4,841,918	4,841,918
Nursing Home, ICF-I	11,476	9,734,643	9,734,643
Nursing Home, ICF-II	1,662	930,543	930,543
P.T., O.T., S.T., Audiology in Nursing Homes	3,011	849,224	849,224
Home Health Service	1,921	155,821	155,821
Crippled Child Service	39	1,038	1,038
Buy-In/Health Insurance	16,185	182,779	182,779
Independent Lab/X-Ray	1,621	12,002	12,002
Public Health Clinic Service	1,572	25,834	25,834
Recipient Recovery (2)	--	432,109-	432,109-
Family Planning Service	5,245	187,010	187,010
State Institution, MR (ICF)	66	132,263	132,263
State Institution, MI/CD (Mental Hospital)	30	43,990	43,990
Prescribed Drugs	69,044	2,090,588	2,090,588
Medical Supplies	5,667	251,648	251,648
Ambulance Service/Medical Transportation	3,633	244,059	244,059
EPSDT (3)	1,194	42,534	42,534
Physician/Osteopathic Service	56,017	2,457,026	2,457,026
Dental Services	15,009	944,652	944,652
Optometric Services	3,247	149,347	149,347
Psychology	1,320	129,470	129,470
Nursing Services	445	189,136	189,136
Physical Therapy	161	26,017	26,017
Speech Therapy	262	27,728	27,728
Occupational Therapy	6	4,485	4,485
Podiatrist Service	1,165	25,957	25,957
Chiropractor Service	1,038	36,206	36,206
Audiologist	57	2,247	2,247
Osteopathic Services	--	--	--
Other	--	--	--
TOTAL	124,143	$ 49,377,081	$ 49,377,081

1)This table represents state Medicaid system payments plus payments made by counties to primarily medical vendors not covered by the central payments system. Also, in this table, each person is counted under all service categories for which payment is made in his/her behalf during the month.

2)Recipient recoveries represent collections such as estate settlements, tort recoveries, etc. ... generally third party collections which cannot be tied directly to a specific service billing. The dollar values under this category are always negative.

3)An additional $5,875 was paid out for EPSDT services during the month; however, these charges were billed in a different fashion and are included under other service types such as Public Health Clinic, Physician/Osteopathic Services, etc. Existing reports do not break these charges out separately.

RECIPIENTS OF NURSING HOME CARE
BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY
July, 1981

	SNF		ICF-I		ICF-II		ICF-MR		TOTAL	
	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
RECEIVING SSI										
Aged	1,057	$ 1,476,077.57	1,009	$1,109,016.17	119	$ 77,869.97	35	$ 47,130.32	2,220	$ 2,710,084.03
Blind	24	33,174.09	17	20,664.36	4	3,240.39	9	15,279.98	54	72,358.82
Disabled	648	1,020,081.99	919	941,815.33	192	145,269.13	1,482	2,425,696.27	3,241	4,532,862.72
Total Receiving SSI	1,729	2,529,333.65	1,945	2,071,495.86	315	226,369.49	1,526	2,488,106.57	5,515	7,315,305.57
MA - ONLY										
Adults 65+										
Medically Needy	6,150	6,805,866.71	3,485	2,943,037.90	483	262,530.96	8	6,781.31	10,126	10,018,216.88
Categorically Needy	6,682	7,758,251.10	4,261	3,817,589.14	627	325,431.12	13	13,222.05	11,583	11,914,493.41
Adults Blind										
Medically Needy	10	13,076.65	9	7,848.26	0	0.00	5	7,051.62	24	27,976.53
Categorically Needy	31	34,558.09	15	14,710.70	2	1,022.70	4	4,682.08	52	54,973.57
Adults Disabled										
Medically Needy	585	712,141.85	546	386,656.81	72	36,981.29	539	726,359.24	1,742	1,862,139.19
Categorically Needy	863	1,094,548.24	886	623,407.64	144	78,207.88	1,080	1,392,155.59	2,973	3,188,319.35
Needy Children	7	8,989.49	38	1,972.00	0	0.00	91	200,538.36	136	211,499.85
Unknown	1	1,585.50	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1,585.50
TOTAL MA - ONLY	14,329	16,429,017.63	9,240	7,795,222.45	1,328	704,173.95	1,740	2,350,790.25	26,637	27,279,204.28
UNKNOWN	2	2,561.60	2	187.42	0	0.00	2	3,021.00	6	5,770.02
GRAND TOTAL	16,060	$18,960,912.88	11,187	$9,866,905.73	1,643	$930,543.44	3,268	$4,841,917.82	32,158	$34,600,279.87

MINNESOTA PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

ACTIVITY

July, 1981

TABLE I - PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS: APPLICATIONS AND CASES

July, 1981

PROGRAM BY MONTH AND YEAR

ACTIVITY	AFDC			GENERAL ASSISTANCE			MINNESOTA SUPPLEMENTAL AID		
	July, '81*	June, '81	July,'80	July, '81	June, '81	July,'80	July, '81	June, '81	July, '80
Applications Received	8,421	3,612	4,616	3,864	5,108	5,189	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	8,997	4,120	5,018	4,314	5,548	5,678	N/A	N/A	N/A
Applications Disposed Of:	8,437	3,541	4,462	3,963	5,098	5,096	303	271	296
Formal Appl. Approved	7,677	2,927	3,800	3,131	4,452	4,605	289	255	286
Transfers between Counties	286	258	286	--	--	--	--	--	--
Denials	474	356	376	832	646	491	14	16	10
Total Cases Open During Month	54,722	57,057	52,865	12,444	18,192***	15,379	11,250	11,254	11,311
Number Receiving No Payment	702	1,536	1,584	2,699**	4,327**	3,536	1,020	917	851
Number Receiving Payment	54,020	55,521	51,281	9,745	13,865	11,843	10,230	10,337	10,460
Cases Closed During Month	6,378	8,997	2,898	3,790	8,879	4,113	230	303	253

ACTIVITY	MEDICAL ASSISTANCE/CONCURRENTLY RECEIVING SSI								
	65 AND OVER			BLIND			DISABLED		
	July, '81	June, '81	July,'80	July, '81	June, '81	July,'80	July, '81	June, '81	July, '80
Applications Received	112	90	115	2	4	4	278	212	283
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	178	162	182	3	6	7	421	382	516
Applications Disposed Of:	117	96	121	3	5	3	268	239	286
Formal Appl. Approved	107	91	116	3	5	3	250	226	263
Formal Appl. Not Approved	10	5	5	0	0	0	18	13	23
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Cases Open During Month	11,384	11,401	11,702	388	395	399	15,684	15,707	15,647
Number Receiving No Payment	3,281	2,161	3,443	119	69	117	4,360	2,258	3,537
Number Receiving Payment	8,103	9,240	8,259	269	326	282	11,324	13,449	12,110
Cases Closed During Month	141	135	162	3	9	4	236	240	243

*AFDC-FC is excluded as of July, 1981.

**This is unknown for Ramsey County.

***The number of cases continued into June by Carver County was revised, thus decreasing the number of cases open in June by 125.

Table I Cont.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ONLY APPLICATIONS AND CASES

PROGRAM	65 AND OVER			ADULTS/BLIND			ADULTS/DISABLED		
Month and Year	July, '81	June, '81	July, '80	July, '81	June, '81	July, '80	July, '81	June, '81	July, '80
Applications Received	854	888	1,064	1	2	1	278	221	314
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	2,185	2,261	2,621	4	5	2	693	679	768
Applications Disposed Of:	951	930	1,057	2	2	2	288	264	306
Formal Appl. Approved	782	762	891	2	2	1	213	208	242
Formal Appl. Not Approved	169	168	166	0	0	1	75	56	64
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Cases Open During Month	27,942	27,936	26,730	140	139	132	8,559	8,519	7,881
Number Receiving No Payment	3,049	1,350	4,120	21	5	9	1,728	384	916
Number Receiving Payment	24,893	26,586	22,610	119	134	123	6,831	8,135	6,965
Cases Closed During Month	809	785	747	2	3	0	238	198	199

PROGRAM	AFDC RELATED			CHILDREN UNDER 21/REGULAR		
Month and Year	July, 1981	June, 1981	July, 1980	July, 1981	June, 1981	July, 1980
Applications Received	184	136	171	903	1,006	1,308
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	336	287	342	1,648	1,800	2,150
Applications Disposed Of:	183	135	161	945	1,055	1,249
Formal Appl. Approved	142	95	126	725	790	979
Formal Appl. Not Approved	41	40	35	220	265	270
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Cases Open During Month	901	1,197	913	6,069	6,576	6,325
Number Receiving No Payment	45	50	77	1,662	324	1,685
Number Receiving Payment	856	1,147	836	4,407	6,252	4,640
Cases Closed During Month	124	134	112	1,007	1,203	863

Table II MINNESOTA PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TRENDS - July, 1981

	July, 1981	CHANGE FROM June, 1981		CHANGE FROM July, 1980	
ALL PROGRAMS (a)		Number or Amount	Percent	Number or Amount	Percent
Persons Receiving Payment	221,302	- 15,969	- 6.7%	+ 7,762	+ 3.6%
Total Payments	$70,925,329	-$17,798,620	-20.1%	-$ 806,602	- 1.1%
Aid to Families with Dependent Children					
Families (Cases) Receiving Payment	54,020	- 1,501	- 2.7%	+ 2,739	+ 5.3%
Children	96,494	- 2,234	- 2.3%	+ 4,096	+ 4.4%
Caretakers	51,990	+ 221	+ 0.4%	+ 5,629	+12.1%
Total Net Payments	$18,180,900	+$ 1,082,223	+ 6.3%	+$1,496,643	+ 9.0%
Average Grant Per Family	$ 336.57	+$ 28.60	+ 9.3%	+$ 11.22	+ 3.4%
Average Grant Per Person	$ 122.44	+$ 8.83	+ 7.8%	+$ 2.20	+ 1.8%
Emergency Assistance					
Families Receiving Payment	1,371	+ 52	+ 3.9%	- 336	-19.7%
Persons Receiving Payment	4,735	+ 133	+ 2.9%	- 1,100	-18.9%
AFDC Persons Receiving Payment (b)	3,139	+ 62	+ 2.0%	- 645	-17.0%
Total Net Payments	$ 360,141	-$ 3,655	- 1.0%	-$ 80,365	-18.2%
Average Payment Per Family	$ 262.68	-$ 13.13	- 4.8%	+$ 4.62	+ 1.8%
Supplemental Aid					
Persons Receiving Payment	10,292	- 45	- 0.4%	- 168	- 1.6%
Total Net Payments	$ 952,698	-$ 43,409	- 4.4%	+$ 20,660	+ 2.2%
Average Grant Per Person	$ 92.57	-$ 3.79	- 3.9%	+$ 3.47	+ 3.9%
General Assistance (c)					
Cases Receiving Payment	10,692	- 5,112	-32.3%	- 2,259	-17.4%
Family Cases	665	- 398	-37.4%	- 248	-27.2%
Persons in Family Case	1,907	- 1,027	-35.0%	- 699	-26.8%
Single Cases	10,027	- 4,714	-32.0%	- 2,011	-16.7%
Total Gross Payments	$ 2,054,509	-$ 777,098	-27.4%	+$ 62,311	+ 3.1%
Avg. Grant Per Family Case	$ 264.40	-$ 20.83	- 7.3%	+$ 19.90	+ 8.1%
Avg. Grant Per Family Person	$ 92.20	-$ 11.14	-10.8%	+$ 6.54	+ 7.6%
Avg. Grant Per Single Case	$ 187.36	+$ 15.84	+ 9.2%	+$ 40.41	+27.5%
Medical Assistance					
Total MA-Only Persons	38,304	- 6,202	-13.9%	+ 1,118	+ 3.0%
Total Persons Concurrently Receiving SSI	19,696	- 3,319	-14.4%	- 955	- 4.6%
Total Persons Concurrently Receiving MSA (b)	9,004	- 1,280	-12.4%	- 1,207	-11.8%
Total Persons Concurrently Receiving AFDC (b)	66,143	- 27,628	-29.5%	+ 5,524	+ 9.1%
Total Net Payments	$49,377,081	-$18,056,682	-26.8%	-$2,305,851	- 4.5%
Average Grant Per Person	$ 397.74	-$ 83.34	-17.3%	-$ 38.56	- 8.8%

(a) Does not include General Assistance Medical Care, Foster Care or other General Relief Payments.
(b) Excluded when calculating the total persons for all programs.
(c) Includes post-closing persons and cases.

TABLE III

MINNESOTA AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

July, 1981

COUNTY	CASES	CHANGE FROM June, 1981	CARETAKERS	CHILDREN	PAYMENTS	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER FAMILY	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER PERSON
TOTAL STATE	54,020	-1,501	51,990	96,494	$18,180,900.47	$ 336.57	$ 122.44
TOTAL SMSA	38,099	-1,053	36,701	67,243	$12,858,282.74	$ 337.50	$ 123.70
TOTAL URBAN	27,141	- 767	26,267	48,149	$ 9,225,285.13	$ 339.90	$ 123.97
Hennepin	14,746	- 442	13,943	26,251	$ 5,042,610.47	$ 341.96	$ 125.46
Ramsey	8,137	- 213	8,071	14,584	2,803,015.34	344.48	123.73
St. Louis	4,258	- 112	4,253	7,314	1,379,659.32	324.02	119.28
TOTAL SUBURBAN	10,958	- 286	10,434	19,094	$ 3,632,997.61	$ 331.54	$ 123.04
Anoka	2,825	- 66	2,584	4,735	$ 1,019,291.50	$ 360.81	$ 139.27
Benton	290	+ 7	300	531	93,885.86	323.74	112.98
Carver	251	+ 8	226	425	84,890.00	338.21	130.40
Chisago	358	- 7	334	666	109,799.10	306.70	109.80
Clay	510	- 32	508	865	174,033.31	341.24	126.75
Dakota	1,914	- 21	1,769	3,260	604,065.47	315.60	120.12
Olmsted	835	- 6	798	1,405	253,719.14	303.86	115.17
Polk	436	+ 11	422	826	153,935.41	353.06	123.35
Scott	357	- 14	327	681	111,065.11	311.11	110.18
Sherburne	470	- 9	477	833	158,526.11	337.29	121.01
Stearns	919	+ 4	976	1,660	302,600.51	329.27	114.80
Washington	1,059	- 158	998	1,770	327,977.52	309.70	118.49
Wright	734	- 3	715	1,437	239,208.57	325.90	111.16
TOTAL NOT SMSA	15,921	- 448	15,289	29,251	$ 5,322,617.73	$ 334.31	$ 119.50
Aitkin	198	- 1	213	387	$ 76,807.12	$ 387.91	$ 128.01
Becker	493	- 18	471	934	180,389.83	365.90	128.39
Beltrami	806	+ 44	717	1,491	275,715.91	342.08	124.87
Big Stone	52	- 10	46	99	16,411.18	315.60	113.18
Blue Earth	571	- 9	557	976	189,249.91	331.44	123.45
Brown	204	- 10	198	377	65,566.46	321.40	114.03
Carlton	538	- 24	601	979	191,350.07	355.67	121.11
Cass	499	- 31	486	979	199,279.44	399.36	136.03
Chippewa	108	+ 1	98	194	24,837.22	229.97	85.06
Clearwater	215	- 6	195	450	76,304.89	354.91	118.30
Cook	58	- 4	58	99	15,974.56	275.42	101.75
Cottonwood	110	- 13	98	187	32,925.46	299.32	115.53
Crow Wing	729	- 7	819	1,353	251,784.67	345.38	115.92
Dodge	125	- 4	110	239	40,549.46	324.30	116.19
Douglas	210	- 3	209	377	66,262.79	315.54	113.08
Fillmore	139	- 1	113	247	48,618.00	349.77	135.05
Freeborn	394	- 27	393	655	125,590.96	318.76	119.84
Goodhue	303	- 10	282	560	100,733.35	332.45	119.64
Grant	51	+ 1	45	87	13,793.50	270.46	104.50
Houston	119	- 10	109	226	35,531.76	298.59	106.06
Hubbard	266	- 14	297	512	97,234.58	365.64	120.19
Isanti	359	- 7	368	710	115,712.42	322.32	107.34
Itasca	947	- 36	862	1,679	321,112.38	339.08	126.37
Jackson	117	- 3	99	191	36,465.97	311.67	125.74
Kanabec	162	- 17	152	297	57,135.01	352.69	127.25

*Foster Care in Homes and Institutions excluded beginning with July 1, 1981. Foster Care now covered under IV-E (Social Services).

TABLE III cont. MINNESOTA AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

July, 1981

COUNTY	CASES	CHANGE FROM June, 1981	CARETAKERS	CHILDREN	PAYMENTS	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER FAMILY	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER PERSON
Kandiyohi	400	- 10	399	735	$ 131,848.43	$ 329.62	$ 116.27
Kittson	39	--	30	65	12,381.00	317.46	130.33
Koochiching	319	- 10	334	571	111,655.97	350.02	123.38
Lac Qui Parle	40	- 3	34	80	11,529.70	288.24	101.14
Lake	135	- 9	118	231	41,961.37	310.82	120.23
Lake O' Woods	31	- 1	31	66	10,959.00	353.52	112.98
Le Sueur	205	- 12	172	386	64,724.05	315.73	115.99
Region VIII No.	372	- 17	344	683	115,327.47	310.02	112.30
McLeod	198	+ 9	184	358	65,083.50	328.70	120.08
Mahnomen	99	- 2	77	185	31,845.77	321.67	121.55
Marshall	97	- 11	84	179	32,922.30	339.41	125.18
Martin	489	- 4	466	886	155,056.88	317.09	114.69
Meeker	179	- 1	170	352	59,312.58	331.36	113.63
Mille Lacs	326	- 32	300	593	104,260.79	319.82	116.75
Morrison	397	+ 7	403	736	134,543.77	338.90	118.12
Mower	474	- 6	474	829	145,863.07	307.73	111.94
Nicollet	204	- 6	186	329	64,436.00	315.86	125.12
Nobles	197	- 14	175	356	56,873.97	288.70	107.11
Norman	54	+ 2	39	102	17,014.40	315.08	120.67
Otter Tail	384	- 23	312	692	118,995.47	309.88	118.52
Pennington	146	- 10	129	258	49,103.39	336.32	126.88
Pine	408	- 10	453	820	155,808.63	381.88	122.39
Pipestone	92	- 1	86	164	29,000.00	315.22	116.00
Pope	100	+ 1	102	176	33,914.19	339.14	121.99
Red Lake	24	- 5	17	40	6,531.60	272.15	114.59
Redwood	122	- 16	115	234	37,896.40	310.63	108.59
Renville	103	- 15	91	187	31,500.25	305.83	113.31
Rice	420	- 6	408	826	162,447.00	386.78	131.64
Rock	58	- 6	63	109	16,484.01	284.21	95.84
Roseau	97	+ 1	71	169	31,745.30	327.27	132.27
Sibley	95	+ 5	83	164	27,607.30	290.60	111.77
Steele	169	+ 1	149	313	52,402.26	310.61	113.62
Stevens	53	--	48	84	15,423.75	291.01	116.85
Swift	129	--	116	262	42,611.44	330.32	112.73
Todd	283	+ 6	275	540	99,994.05	353.34	122.69
Traverse	30	- 4	24	60	9,506.20	316.87	113.17
Wabasha	163	+ 3	146	287	50,728.32	311.22	117.16
Wadena	188	- 2	198	367	61,866.95	329.08	109.50
Waseca	178	- 17	177	334	59,176.68	332.45	115.81
Wilkin	87	+ 5	84	166	28,394.09	326.37	113.58
Winona	491	- 10	461	858	155,665.01	317.04	118.02
Yellow Medicine	73	- 6	65	134	22,788.52	312.17	114.52

TABLE IV

MINNESOTA GENERAL ASSISTANCE
JULY, 1981

COUNTY		TOTAL CASES	TOTAL PERSONS	TOTAL PAYMENTS	SINGLE CASES NUMBER PERSONS	SINGLE CASES AV GRANT P PERSON	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN NUMBER FAMILIES	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN NUMBER PERSONS	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN AV GRANT P PERSON	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY NUMBER FAMILIES	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY NUMBER PERSONS	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY AV GRANT P PERSON
AITKIN		35	47	$ 5,101.49	28	$ 134.29	2	9	$ 50.11	5	10	$ 89.05
ANOKA	(S)	261	276	43,784.40	254	165.17	4	16	78.06	3	6	97.00
BECKER		83	101	10,058.51	70	107.18	3	11	29.55	10	20	111.55
BELTRAMI		39	77	8,694.00	26	171.08	11	47	80.68	2	4	113.50
BENTON	(S)	22	24	3,219.00	20	146.50				2	4	72.25
BIG STONE		6	6	795.00	6	132.50						
BLUE EARTH		122	134	23,593.42	114	193.71	2	8	43.50	6	12	96.85
BROWN		23	23	4,265.00	23	185.43						
CARLTON		58	59	15,052.42	57	260.41				1	2	104.50
CARVER	(S)	11	12	1,873.00	10	174.90				1	2	62.00
CASS		43	48	9,626.00	41	221.32	1	5	57.40	1	2	132.50
CHIPPEWA		18	18	1,871.00	18	103.94						
CHISAGO	(S)	51	61	7,662.97	45	139.00	2	8	81.75	4	8	94.25
CLAY	(S)	55	69	7,625.90	47	142.91	2	10	35.00	6	12	46.59
CLEARWATER		14	14	2,160.18	14	154.30						
COOK		5	5	502.34	5	100.47						
COTTONWOOD		33	35	5,956.96	31	179.55				2	4	97.75
CROW WING		101	131	14,816.14	82	133.28	10	31	66.03	9	18	102.22
DAKOTA	(S)	170	217	50,617.29	153	243.69	13	56	226.63	4	8	80.16
DODGE		10	10	1,124.00	10	112.40						
DOUGLAS		22	22	4,994.00	22	227.00						
FILLMORE		7	7	1,162.00	7	166.00						
FREEBORN		28	29	3,937.35	27	141.38				1	2	60.00
GOODHUE		42	44	8,066.42	40	194.24				2	4	74.25
GRANT		3	3	396.00	3	132.00						
HENNEPIN	(U)	3,635	3,841	726,207.87	3,524	199.10	72	239	73.22	39	78	90.65
HOUSTON		17	20	2,579.14	16	158.88	1	4	9.29			
HUBBARD		33	54	5,597.95	21	134.43	7	23	85.74	5	10	80.30
ISANTI		42	47	7,230.86	39	159.92	2	6	117.00	1	2	146.00
ITASCA		189	260	35,711.00	155	162.56	20	77	77.12	14	28	163.43
JACKSON		27	51	4,568.08	18	129.31	5	25	65.50	4	8	75.38
KANABEC		9	16	4,098.86	7	320.00	2	9	206.54			
KANDIYOHI		61	74	9,589.90	52	164.94	4	12	52.67	5	10	38.10
KITTSON		8	9	2,585.81	7	363.42				1	2	20.95
KOOCHICHING		120	185	24,618.04	93	164.31	21	80	99.81	6	12	112.67
LAC QUI PARLE		2	2	127.50	2	63.75						
LAKE		48	53	10,601.00	46	213.33	1	5	108.00	1	2	124.00
LAKE OF THE WOODS		4	9	620.00	3	107.67	1	6	49.50			
LE SUEUR		15	19	2,010.58	13	135.52	1	4	13.25	1	2	97.90
REGION VIII NORTH		92	134	16,241.27	75	166.55	12	49	61.47	5	10	73.80
MC LEOD		24	27	3,884.10	22	159.44	1	3	17.50	1	2	162.00
MAHNOMEN		7	19	1,839.20	3	223.33	4	16	73.08			
MARSHALL		3	3	480.21	3	160.07						
F-M-W HSB		51	63	$ 11,099.49	45	$ 218.28	2	10	$ 45.70	4	8	$ 102.50

TABLE IV

MINNESOTA GENERAL ASSISTANCE
JULY, 1981

COUNTY	TOTAL CASES	TOTAL PERSONS	TOTAL PAYMENTS	SINGLE CASES NUMBER PERSONS	SINGLE CASES AV GRANT P PERSON	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN NUMBER FAMILIES	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN NUMBER PERSONS	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN AV GRANT P PERSON	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY NUMBER FAMILIES	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY NUMBER PERSONS	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY AV GRANT P PERSON
MEEKER	13	20	3,027.47	9	276.09	3	9	33.30	1	2	121.50
MILLE LACS	25	27	3,990.00	23	160.30				2	4	75.75
MORRISON	25	27	5,195.00	24	204.58	1	3	95.00			
MOWER	94	117	15,278.20	81	153.94	9	28	71.24	4	8	101.75
NICOLLET	14	15	2,627.00	13	183.38				1	2	121.50
NOBLES	16	16	3,082.59	16	192.66						
NORMAN	3	3	340.00	3	113.33						
OLMSTED (S)	138	146	25,404.44	130	172.08	3	6	348.89	5	10	94.10
OTTER TAIL	37	43	8,063.94	35	223.75	2	8	29.07			
PENNINGTON	27	39	3,261.28	21	100.64	2	10	36.84	4	8	97.44
PINE	79	101	15,308.04	63	185.29	6	18	63.31	10	20	124.75
PIPESTONE	19	34	3,707.24	14	155.23	5	20	76.70			
POLK (S)	91	94	12,447.74	88	133.44				3	6	117.50
POPE	13	16	3,064.88	10	220.59	1	2	192.00	2	4	118.75
RAMSEY (U)	2,080	2,199	402,114.62	2,006	189.42	36	117	105.89	38	76	128.34
RED LAKE	2	2	537.00	2	268.50						
REDWOOD	24	36	4,907.17	18	187.47	4	14	72.91	2	4	128.00
RENVILLE	11	24	2,100.00	9	166.00	2	15	40.40			
RICE	38	43	7,729.18	34	209.36	2	5	55.00	2	4	84.00
ROCK	13	15	2,129.00	11	145.00				2	4	133.50
ROSEAU	15	36	2,945.50	9	172.39	5	25	47.92	1	2	98.00
ST. LOUIS (U)	1,625	1,777	303,759.33	1,534	182.60	35	131	75.37	56	112	123.07
SCOTT (S)	54	61	9,222.02	49	175.32	1	4	20.50	4	8	68.66
SHERBURNE (S)	41	43	6,051.16	39	145.31				2	4	95.99
SIBLEY	3	3	504.00	3	168.00						
STEARNS (S)	82	112	17,718.55	66	209.81	12	38	84.86	4	8	80.84
STEELE	17	18	2,438.47	16	140.34	1	2	96.50			
STEVENS	7	8	1,185.00	6	161.67				1	2	107.50
SWIFT	6	14	904.87	4	91.82	1	8	6.20	1	2	244.00
TODD	38	46	10,017.64	35	256.37	1	7	69.66	2	4	139.25
TRAVERSE	5	7	1,137.98	4	221.00	1	3	84.66			
WABASHA	17	22	2,864.70	15	154.65	1	5	64.80	1	2	110.50
WADENA	10	12	1,205.00	8	112.25				2	4	76.75
WASECA	14	14	2,305.92	14	164.71						
WASHINGTON (S)	118	129	23,712.00	107	195.02	1	2	118.50	10	20	130.42
WILKIN	11	11	1,828.00	11	166.18						
WINONA	65	69	8,536.99	61	126.52				4	8	102.38
WRIGHT (S)	148	172	26,833.29	134	169.82	7	24	82.04	7	14	150.64
YELLOW MEDICINE	5	5	378.00	5	75.60						
MINNESOTA TOTAL	10,692	11,934	$ 2,054,508.86	10,027	$ 187.36	348	1,273	$ 83.70	317	634	$ 109.26
SMSA TOTAL	8,582	9,233	$ 1,668,253.58	8,206	$ 190.65	188	651	$ 95.72	188	376	$ 110.37
URBAN (U)	7,340	7,817	$ 1,432,081.82	7,064	$ 192.77	143	487	$ 81.65	133	266	$ 115.07
SUBURBAN (S)	1,242	1,416	$ 236,171.76	1,142	$ 177.52	45	164	$ 137.50	55	110	$ 99.02
NON-SMSA TOTAL	2,110	2,701	$ 386,255.28	1,821	$ 172.57	160	622	$ 71.12	129	258	$ 107.64

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COUNTY	ADULT CASES	C.T. & CHILD.	TOTAL CASES	CHANGE FROM JUNE	TOTAL MA PAYMENTS	AFDC MA PAYMENTS	AVG AFDC PERSON	AVG ADULT CASE
TOTAL STATE	24,492	68,404	68,213	-12,249	$17,522,286.17	$ 7,020,051.95	$ 102.62	$428.80
TOTAL URBAN	10,117	33,007	31,261	-5,671	8,667,920.54	3,789,393.06	114.80	482.21
HENNEPIN	5,420	17,646	16,872	-3,208	4,837,587.83	2,055,541.96	116.48	513.29
RAMSEY	2,795	10,389	9,259	-1,570	2,740,201.66	1,311,371.20	126.22	511.20
ST LOUIS	1,902	4,972	5,130	-893	1,090,131.05	422,479.90	84.97	351.02
TOTAL RURAL	14,375	35,397	36,952	-6,578	8,854,365.63	3,230,658.89	91.26	391.21
AITKIN	165	259	333	-22	90,988.48	41,155.81	158.90	302.01
ANOKA	328	3,343	2,507	-606	413,039.03	281,547.60	84.22	400.88
BECKER	364	434	690	-131	152,099.49	40,951.20	94.35	305.35
BELTRAMI	373	649	837	-138	217,190.98	77,887.06	120.01	373.46
BENTON	133	322	340	-56	90,860.44	26,165.56	81.25	486.42
BIG STONE	97	59	136	-11	48,485.46	3,795.28	64.32	460.72
BLUE EARTH	232	760	704	-124	122,831.60	38,066.62	50.08	365.36
BROWN	154	231	293	-72	85,550.81	12,305.28	53.26	475.62
CARLTON	243	616	647	-104	131,753.62	46,844.65	76.04	349.41
CARVER	108	272	294	-47	100,181.99	32,182.49	118.31	629.62
CASS	307	521	656	-118	176,355.67	47,148.52	90.49	420.87
CHIPPEWA	121	93	191	-43	43,332.94	5,855.78	62.96	309.72
CHISAGO	110	415	378	-70	88,966.58	33,572.04	80.89	503.58
CLAY	234	546	619	-136	192,043.56	94,407.19	172.90	417.24
CLEARWATER	199	210	329	-29	64,879.25	21,221.50	101.05	219.38
COOK	26	54	69	-2	18,759.81	10,397.38	192.54	321.63
COTTONWOOD	91	142	184	-24	59,687.39	16,155.05	113.76	478.37
CROW WING	340	930	903	-126	178,980.39	67,985.45	73.10	326.45
DAKOTA	306	2,215	1,756	-408	424,703.88	203,037.60	91.66	724.39
DODGE	79	156	174	-14	49,218.58	10,896.70	69.35	485.08
DOUGLAS	235	235	392	-67	90,553.76	18,265.99	77.72	307.60
FARIBAULT	151	203	275	-35	58,345.75	9,969.55	49.11	320.37
FILLMORE	245	138	338	-39	116,241.39	11,436.65	82.87	427.77
FREEBORN	225	393	498	-121	121,746.90	39,081.36	99.44	367.40
GOODHUE	206	352	429	-81	133,173.32	23,700.34	67.33	531.42
GRANT	57	63	102	-9	17,726.85	4,462.89	70.83	232.70
HOUSTON	127	138	215	-21	56,008.60	11,693.92	84.73	348.93
HUBBARD	156	380	392	-51	67,753.96	30,009.71	78.97	241.95
ISANTI	103	409	360	-77	91,575.09	34,048.45	83.24	558.51
ITASCA	386	978	1,050	-123	231,095.98	99,943.13	102.19	339.77
JACKSON	73	125	156	-22	33,090.04	4,071.62	32.57	397.51
KANABEC	94	199	231	-18	66,485.26	38,300.47	192.46	299.83
KANDIYOHI	228	472	550	-78	120,668.81	43,475.83	92.10	338.56
KITTSON	80	47	109	-7	54,292.66	9,817.00	208.87	555.94
KOOCHICHING	178	433	430	-67	78,078.45	31,444.92	72.62	261.98
LAC QUI PARLE	81	37	107	-18	36,512.64	1,464.60	39.58	432.69
LAKE	54	149	142	-35	52,090.99	9,920.96	66.58	780.92
LAKE OF THE WOODS	29	35	48	-9	14,360.47	1,398.40	39.95	446.96
LE SUEUR	156	220	298	-69	64,483.48	15,283.73	69.47	315.38
LINCOLN	59	42	88	-5	24,324.28	2,640.33	62.86	367.52
LYON	171	260	341	-65	78,399.79	32,618.91	125.45	267.72

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COUNTY	ADULT CASES	C.T. & CHILD.	TOTAL CASES	CHANGE FROM JUNE	TOTAL MA PAYMENTS	AFDC MA PAYMENTS	AVG AFDC PERSON	AVG ADULT CASE
MCLEOD	154	260	313	-30	$ 72,801.95	$18,114.45	$ 69.67	$355.11
MAHNOMEN	102	65	150	-37	45,355.33	5,910.67	90.93	391.61
MARSHALL	119	118	195	-19	64,750.48	23,818.66	201.85	343.96
MARTIN	117	235	270	-34	63,343.04	13,105.80	55.76	429.37
MEEKER	128	170	247	-55	71,742.29	17,373.27	102.19	424.75
MILLE LACS	194	372	438	-93	89,442.04	37,320.49	100.32	268.66
MORRISON	340	462	615	-114	184,141.88	36,329.33	78.63	434.74
MOWER	236	557	597	-114	116,649.12	37,078.68	66.56	337.16
MURRAY	85	79	135	-14	39,307.05	5,998.80	75.93	391.86
NICOLLET	102	246	259	-25	70,455.92	13,107.37	53.28	562.24
NOBLES	179	222	324	-55	82,903.18	16,222.31	73.07	372.51
NORMAN	117	49	153	-18	53,214.91	2,120.38	43.27	436.70
OLMSTED	347	823	930	-237	225,606.50	65,102.27	79.10	462.54
OTTER TAIL	451	424	726	-75	182,847.64	32,998.92	77.82	332.25
PENNINGTON	139	147	245	-40	56,088.51	17,733.20	120.63	275.93
PINE	240	540	563	-80	106,943.37	37,727.99	69.86	288.39
PIPESTONE	109	103	177	-26	30,735.61	1,237.72	12.01	270.62
POLK	332	501	652	-131	184,316.43	55,584.40	110.94	387.74
POPE	127	109	195	-35	50,662.06	10,254.65	94.07	318.16
RED LAKE	41	24	58	-19	12,800.33	4,922.39	205.09	192.14
REDWOOD	143	109	223	-39	51,364.14	9,140.51	83.85	295.27
RENVILLE	185	98	261	-24	117,031.74	8,057.43	82.21	589.05
RICE	191	514	517	-89	122,239.61	33,799.82	65.75	463.03
ROCK	64	64	104	-32	20,842.16	4,355.34	68.05	257.60
ROSEAU	107	97	172	-16	46,476.17	8,885.62	91.60	351.31
SCOTT	142	458	429	-46	97,140.60	40,309.29	88.01	400.22
SHERBURNE	105	560	459	-82	100,929.96	56,379.71	100.67	424.28
SIBLEY	82	110	149	-32	39,473.75	2,436.15	22.14	451.67
STEARNS	506	996	1,152	-195	278,934.15	84,240.43	84.57	384.77
STEELE	119	168	221	-70	66,437.14	13,710.28	81.60	443.08
STEVENS	86	55	126	-5	25,011.45	5,258.43	95.60	229.68
SWIFT	132	162	234	-23	49,285.23	9,486.93	58.56	301.50
TODD	303	314	511	-64	120,616.61	23,779.68	75.73	319.59
TRAVERSE	63	25	84	-8	25,903.88	2,911.33	116.45	364.96
WABASHA	121	121	210	-59	55,667.28	11,655.76	96.32	363.73
WADENA	180	253	334	-43	86,004.56	25,057.53	99.04	338.59
WASECA	89	184	209	-40	33,838.11	8,940.49	48.58	279.74
WASHINGTON	263	1,340	1,127	-235	278,206.34	116,443.62	86.89	615.06
WATONWAN	46	150	145	-11	24,633.77	7,293.71	43.62	376.95
WILKIN	83	109	158	-27	39,931.15	7,751.51	71.11	365.67
WINONA	237	579	611	-131	192,463.43	45,357.50	78.33	620.70
WRIGHT	212	899	770	-105	163,944.68	79,404.55	88.32	398.77
YELLOW MEDICINE	124	82	183	-23	61,915.21	5,466.21	66.66	455.23
INDOCHINESE CASES	24	4,909	2,730	-609	594,548.45	583,847.69	118.93	445.86

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COUNTY	ADULT CASES	C.T. & CHILD	TOTAL CASES	CHANGE FROM JUNE	TOTAL MA PAYMENTS	MA PAYMENTS FAMILIES W/CHILDREN	AVG C.T. & CHILD.	AVG ADULT CASE
TOTAL STATE	35,980	6,321	41,163	-5,204	$32,484,259.93	$ 1,876,850.71	$ 296.92	$850.67
TOTAL URBAN	15,242	2,352	17,257	-2,161	15,448,345.37	881,427.21	374.75	955.70
HENNEPIN	8,326	960	9,179	-1,096	8,765,879.83	480,393.00	500.40	995.13
RAMSEY	4,352	830	5,057	-642	4,377,222.29	290,405.73	349.88	939.06
ST LOUIS	2,564	562	3,021	-423	2,305,243.25	110,628.48	196.84	855.93
TOTAL RURAL	20,738	3,969	23,906	-3,043	17,035,914.56	995,423.50	250.79	773.48
AITKIN	193	49	228	-27	149,936.56	7,712.90	157.40	736.91
ANOKA	583	231	777	-135	500,143.54	39,924.93	172.83	789.39
BECKER	347	76	403	-48	278,032.89	25,772.06	339.10	726.97
BELTRAMI	274	170	406	-52	267,434.60	38,885.18	228.73	834.12
BENTON	235	62	282	-29	178,991.20	13,699.45	220.95	703.36
BIG STONE	128	6	134	-8	109,763.04	2,954.91	492.48	834.43
BLUE EARTH	376	123	479	-43	281,846.60	11,446.94	93.06	719.14
BROWN	292	32	321	-45	208,019.87	6,406.89	200.21	690.45
CARLTON	298	55	343	-64	209,959.81	5,047.23	91.76	687.62
CARVER	205	25	224	-34	195,765.39	6,076.89	243.07	925.30
CASS	214	68	267	-41	202,655.26	18,431.24	271.04	860.85
CHIPPEWA	208	18	223	-33	167,946.05	33,977.61	1,887.64	644.07
CHISAGO	168	57	210	-28	210,922.57	61,102.74	1,071.97	891.78
CLAY	297	68	352	-31	254,515.65	10,189.21	149.54	822.71
CLEARWATER	178	51	216	-27	142,966.53	6,566.37	128.75	766.29
COOK	49	4	53	-15	38,432.64	88.10	22.02	782.54
COTTONWOOD	163	16	176	-18	103,012.69	1,773.56	110.84	621.09
CROW WING	403	144	526	-84	405,027.44	69,929.62	485.62	831.50
DAKOTA	624	191	779	-95	716,573.68	51,560.69	269.95	1,065.72
DODGE	132	13	142	-8	115,732.30	3,607.14	277.47	849.43
DOUGLAS	327	22	347	-47	221,875.32	3,357.38	152.60	668.25
FARIBAULT	220	41	250	-45	155,304.55	3,027.35	73.83	692.16
FILLMORE	307	35	337	-52	222,795.85	4,088.15	116.80	712.40
FREEBORN	341	37	378	-45	245,328.52	7,541.72	203.83	697.32
GOODHUE	402	35	434	-30	331,641.02	18,978.24	542.23	777.76
GRANT	106	11	115	-15	72,739.31	3,226.47	293.31	655.78
HOUSTON	178	22	194	-29	118,555.14	820.15	37.27	661.43
HUBBARD	211	104	291	-44	203,759.76	16,393.57	157.63	887.99
ISANTI	175	22	197	-32	134,827.52	9,891.19	449.59	713.92
ITASCA	460	135	572	-40	317,718.55	17,846.95	132.19	651.89
JACKSON	168	30	190	-32	113,076.23	2,281.48	76.04	659.49
KANABEC	130	17	144	-32	101,742.46	1,997.08	117.47	767.27
KANDIYOHI	366	68	423	-24	281,448.11	8,489.08	124.83	745.78
KITTSON	111	3	114	-4	75,683.00	94.85	31.61	680.97
KOOCHICHING	219	84	287	-19	204,452.91	8,814.67	104.93	893.32
LAC QUI PARLE	156	3	159	-16	98,096.90	118.25	39.41	628.06
LAKE	67	7	74	-8	89,267.35	1,917.25	273.89	1,303.73
LAKE OF THE WOODS	40		40	-10	29,589.60			739.74
LE SUEUR	265	9	274	-27	224,289.91	1,352.02	150.22	841.27
LINCOLN	113	15	123	-16	89,777.88	2,957.79	197.18	768.31
LYON	225	19	240	-39	150,999.65	6,993.17	368.06	640.02

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MCLEOD	235	24	257	-21	$ 206,637.49	$ 7,024.26	$ 292.67	$ 849.41
MAHNOMEN	54	32	75	-26	52,492.07	14,344.53	448.26	706.43
MARSHALL	148	36	174	-34	131,394.84	13,265.10	368.47	798.17
MARTIN	220	18	237	-24	186,212.44	3,951.96	219.55	828.45
MEEKER	228	25	248	-23	187,242.94	21,022.61	840.90	729.03
MILLE LACS	246	40	282	-48	172,719.59	1,978.31	49.45	694.07
MORRISON	418	82	481	-50	408,325.78	12,330.75	150.37	947.35
MOWER	430	90	511	-71	321,940.96	8,984.44	99.82	727.80
MURRAY	89	17	103	-10	71,357.64	1,842.24	108.36	781.07
NICOLLET	172	23	194		153,984.34	5,447.03	236.82	863.58
NOBLES	192	15	205	-24	110,925.86	499.80	33.32	575.13
NORMAN	143	8	150	-21	91,598.60	2,076.60	259.57	626.02
OLMSTED	528	74	594	-119	482,021.34	30,443.96	411.40	855.26
OTTER TAIL	647	102	722	-142	445,684.97	14,777.68	144.87	666.00
PENNINGTON	144	46	184	-24	104,032.44	13,367.72	290.60	629.61
PINE	271	64	323	-52	224,962.69	13,645.83	213.21	779.76
PIPESTONE	118	16	132	-21	62,372.97	210.04	13.12	526.80
POLK	528	83	588	-44	395,583.09	12,673.77	152.69	725.20
POPE	155	15	169	-16	132,749.82	3,806.07	253.73	831.89
RED LAKE	64	20	77	-14	45,331.78	1,486.88	74.34	685.07
REDWOOD	210	15	223	-21	148,842.77	1,779.00	118.60	700.30
RENVILLE	242	25	263	-30	192,379.41	2,290.54	91.62	785.49
RICE	368	31	395	-40	325,713.67	15,594.42	503.04	842.71
ROCK	83	1	84	-13	47,887.80	179.10	179.10	574.80
ROSEAU	142	28	168	-25	115,316.06	4,417.28	157.76	780.97
SCOTT	243	47	278	-42	246,509.37	13,774.21	293.06	957.75
SHERBURNE	170	52	208	-20	143,242.61	8,671.99	166.76	791.59
SIBLEY	178	4	182	-18	164,015.27	218.00	54.50	920.20
STEARNS	802	137	914	-73	649,048.01	19,134.22	139.66	785.42
STEELE	202	22	220	-21	172,826.93	9,992.24	454.19	806.11
STEVENS	125	15	137	-10	84,156.99	1,554.34	103.62	660.82
SWIFT	182	16	194	-21	118,015.74	4,471.29	279.45	623.87
TODD	350	107	424	-57	323,215.37	8,320.98	77.76	899.69
TRAVERSE	113	13	124	-6	86,786.13	2,926.93	225.14	742.11
WABASHA	198	18	213	-36	138,676.70	4,427.23	245.95	678.02
WADENA	175	54	214	-14	148,220.21	4,577.52	84.76	820.81
WASECA	183	16	198	-7	175,999.34	8,650.86	540.67	914.47
WASHINGTON	424	76	491	-90	536,725.90	120,902.92	1,590.82	1,098.63
WATONWAN	117	26	137	-10	92,363.87	11,169.64	429.60	693.96
WILKIN	127	21	143	-23	107,425.60	1,727.68	82.27	832.26
WINONA	407	75	466	-61	280,900.88	11,197.95	149.30	662.66
WRIGHT	347	76	410	-26	337,393.96	17,121.49	225.28	922.97
YELLOW MEDICINE	169	9	176	-16	107,116.08	1,076.43-	119.60-	640.19
INDOCHINESE CASES	197	77	214	-108	34,916.39	4,900.05	63.63	152.36

TABLE VII

Minnesota
Supplemental Security Income and Supplemental Aid
Recipients, Payments, Average Grants
By County - July, 1981

County	Supplemental Security Income			MSA Persons Not Receiving SSI	Supplemental Aid		
	Persons	Average Grant	Payments*		Persons	Average Grant	Payments*
Aitkin	188	$128.03	$ 24,070	6	63	$111.32	$ 7,013
Anoka	367	151.70	55,675	15	151	59.81	9,032
Becker	424	125.93	53,395	4	88	106.50	9,372
Beltrami	481	132.22	63,600	7	106	58.42	6,192
Benton	170	125.41	21,319	4	53	75.89	4,022
Big Stone	99	98.93	9,794	2	34	38.71	1,316
Blue Earth	322	123.16	39,657	13	101	38.61	3,900
Brown	156	100.61	15,695	-	65	30.12	1,958
Carlton	377	109.56	41,305	14	93	75.89	7,058
Carver	116	137.82	15,987	4	52	78.29	4,071
Cass	512	105.84	54,191	9	83	142.81	11,853
Chippewa	128	94.12	12,048	-	42	50.26	2,111
Chisago	128	111.41	14,260	1	48	40.83	1,960
Clay	275	129.25	35,545	22	108	78.82	8,513
Clearwater	241	118.63	28,590	3	38	101.01	3,838
Cook	25	100.86	2,522	1	5	2.20	11
Cottonwood	136	110.27	14,996	3	31	23.32	723
Crow Wing	591	107.07	63,277	10	105	80.66	8,469
Dakota	397	140.85	55,917	14	170	71.48	12,151
Dodge	93	114.15	10,616	1	36	72.14	2,597
Douglas	318	124.77	39,676	8	91	61.13	5,563
Fillmore	276	109.12	30,118	10	67	80.94	5,423
Freeborn	242	120.18	29,083	12	91	137.51	12,513
Goodhue	264	111.73	29,498	4	82	34.87	2,859
Grant	83	86.99	7,220	-	16	41.69	667
Hennepin	6,643	146.14	970,811	243	2,724	104.15	283,697
Houston	162	101.99	16,522	1	43	57.61	2,477
Hubbard	203	122.46	24,859	1	28	86.21	2,414
Isanti	352	54.00	19,008	8	57	100.30	5,717
Itasca	398	124.99	49,748	31	143	153.83	21,998
Jackson	90	136.27	12,265	1	26	75.23	1,956
Kanabec	129	127.62	16,463	4	34	73.31	2,492
Kandiyohi	424	90.38	38,319	2	73	65.63	4,791
Kittson	93	102.83	9,563	1	35	33.00	1,155
Koochiching	177	117.59	20,814	5	52	82.69	4,300
Lac Qui Parle	78	102.21	7,972	2	29	62.86	1,823
Lake	67	128.31	8,596	4	34	80.57	2,740
Lake of the Woods	44	126.05	5,546	2	11	14.55	160
LeSueur	163	120.63	19,662	11	46	54.24	2,495
Region VIII No.**	382	108.36	41,393	3	77	42.57	3,278
McLeod	186	98.94	18,403	5	64	65.80	4,211
Mahnomen	97	121.38	11,774	4	32	35.84	1,147
Marshall	132	134.44	17,746	7	45	81.00	3,645
Martin***	334	101.89	34,033	7	128	77.02	9,859
Meeker	165	114.98	18,972	5	64	51.42	3,291

TABLE VII Cont.

Minnesota
Supplemental Security Income
and
Supplemental Aid
Continued

County	Supplemental Security Income Persons	Average Grant	Payments*	MSA Persons Not Receiving SSI	Supplemental Aid Persons	Average Grant	Payments*
Mille Lacs	226	$131.46	$ 29,710	6	50	$106.27	$ 5,314
Morrison	356	118.75	42,276	5	115	38.03	4,373
Mower	318	131.67	41,871	7	112	54.19	6,070
Nicollet	162	72.13	11,684	7	48	26.98	1,295
Nobles	184	115.74	21,296	7	68	60.73	4,129
Norman	105	90.37	9,489	2	51	52.07	2,655
Olmsted	478	116.55	55,711	21	158	68.84	10,877
Otter Tail	752	99.99	75,193	11	154	47.84	7,368
Pennington	194	123.66	23,991	7	55	145.14	7,983
Pine	262	131.23	34,382	11	83	82.27	6,828
Pipestone	124	108.97	13,512	2	28	20.36	570
Polk	401	100.15	40,161	9	123	39.40	4,847
Pope	112	107.11	11,996	1	45	77.91	3,506
Ramsey	3,448	153.76	530,172	145	1,340	100.57	134,762
Red Lake	40	118.57	4,743	-	18	54.19	975
Redwood	184	118.47	21,798	2	49	97.04	4,755
Renville	168	114.85	19,295	1	73	38.51	2,811
Rice	599	76.86	46,042	15	102	106.94	10,908
Rock	78	100.43	7,833	3	21	26.57	558
Roseau	165	111.38	18,377	10	48	148.28	7,118
St. Louis	2,056	132.64	272,715	161	917	160.86	147,506
Scott	146	117.91	17,216	4	59	55.02	3,246
Sherburne	158	121.38	19,179	4	41	104.66	4,291
Sibley	88	123.52	10,870	2	30	56.50	1,695
Stearns	643	124.00	79,729	16	192	48.78	9,366
Steele	133	112.53	14,966	6	56	105.45	5,905
Stevens	106	123.15	13,053	5	29	73.45	2,130
Swift	147	103.38	15,197	2	28	32.18	901
Todd	350	115.44	40,403	15	121	72.19	8,735
Traverse	60	85.72	5,143	-	17	48.71	828
Wabasha	151	101.93	15,392	4	46	96.96	4,460
Wadena	277	122.38	33,899	2	45	75.58	3,401
Waseca	97	115.22	11,176	2	42	55.10	2,314
Washington	262	139.96	36,670	22	138	126.47	17,454
Wilkin	70	102.21	7,155	2	29	68.93	1,999
Winona	263	119.75	31,493	9	66	83.60	5,518
Wright	265	109.81	29,099	12	88	82.53	7,263
Yellow Medicine	150	105.98	15,898	-	43	26.83	1,154
County Unknown	3	155.39	466	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	30,509	$126.51	$3,859,774	1,054	10,292	$ 92.57	$952,698

*May not add due to rounding.
**Includes Lincoln, Lyon and Murray Counties.
***Includes Faribault, Martin and Watonwan Counties.

TECHNICAL NOTES

Table I — Application activity for the AFDC Program does not include applications for medical only needs.

Table II — Under MA, total Persons Concurrently Receiving AFDC are not included when calculating the total number of persons receiving assistance. This is done to unduplicate the total count since these people are already counted under the AFDC Program.

Table III — This table does not include cases and payments made under the Emergency Assistance Program.

Table IV — The sixteen (16) counties identified by the Census Bureau as metropolitan (i.e.; SMSA) are separated into urban and suburban. The urban counties are Hennepin, Ramsey, and St. Louis, and the suburban counties are the thirteen (13) other SMSA counties. These counties are noted (U) and (S) respectively.

Two multi-county agencies are labelled as follows: F-M-W HSB includes Faribault, Martin, and Watonwan Counties; Region VIII North includes Lincoln, Lyon, and Murray Counties.

Tables V & VI — Medical Assistance - The program is broken into two components:

(1) Those recipients who had a vendor payment made in their behalf and are not concurrently receiving a money payment (the MA-Only group).

(2) Those recipients who are concurrently receiving a money payment (AFDC, SSI, MSA) and a medical vendor payment was also made in their behalf.

The counts are of people in whose behalf a payment was made out of the State's Centralized Medical Payments System during the month specified.

GLOSSARY

AFDC-UB	AFDC UB . . . An unborn child is included under the definition of child in the AFDC Program and grants are determined accordingly. For this reason, we have counted them as recipients. It is possible for a case which is currently receiving money under another subprogram (such as Unemployed Father or Regular AFDC) to receive an additional amount due to the presence of an unborn child. In instances such as this, the unborn will appear in the child count, but there will be no case or caretaker count since they are carried under the other subprogram.
EPSDT	Early Periodic Screening and Diagnostic Treatment
GAMC	General Assistance Medical Care
HMO	Health Maintenance Organization
Nursing Home ICF-I	Intermediate Care Facility (High Care)
ICF-II	Intermediate Care Facility (Minimum Care)
ICF-MR	Intermediate Care Facility (Mentally Retarded)
OAA-CCR	Old Age Assistance Concurrently Receiving Supplemental Security Income
OAA-MAO	Old Age Assistance, Medical Assistance Only
P.T., O.T., S.T. Audiology in Nursing Home	Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Therapy
Podiatrist Service	Specializing in Foot Care Services
State Institution MR (ICF)	Mentally Retarded, Intermediate Care Facility
SMSA	Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area is a county or a group of contiguous counties which contain at least one city of 50,000 population. In addition to the county of counties containing such cities, contiguous counties are included in such areas if they are essentially metropolitan in character and are socially and economically integrated.
TB	Tuberculosis

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August, 1981 - In Summary

All Programs - The processing of medical claims for patients in state facilities for the mentally retarded and mentally ill was resumed in August, and this was the primary factor in the rise in total persons aided and total expenditures. The 223,889 persons aided in August was 2,587 (+1.2%) above July while expenditures rose $4,761,575 (+6.7%). The higher rate for expenditures reflects the addition of the high cost cases in the state residential facilities.

In the maintenance programs, mixed trends occurred with AFDC continuing to show more families aided reflecting rising unemployment, while the General Assistance Program continued to record decreases reflecting restriction in eligibility (employable persons no longer eligible for assistance).

The annual trend in total persons and costs shows a rise of 2,356 (+1.1%) in persons aided and $3,598,310 (+5.0%) in expenditures. The AFDC Program accounts for the trend in persons, while higher medical costs account primarily for the expenditure trend.

Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) - In August, cases receiving assistance rose 429 (0.8%) in response to increases within the regular (0.8%) and unemployed parent (2.5%) segments. Two factors contributed to the case rise. The first is the deepening economic recession which has created above average numbers of unemployed parent cases. The second originates from the reversal of the state directive to disallow payments to cases involving stepparents. These cases were terminated on July 1 but reinstated later in the month by court order. Since this reinstatement occurred at "the 12th hour", not all these cases were reinstated in July but were carried over to the current month.

Net payments reached $18,278,801 and represent the highest monthly Minnesota expenditure ever reported for AFDC. Child support (Title IV-D) recoveries totalled $1,868,843 and represents an increase of $89,448 (5.1%) from July. The recoveries represented 9.0% of the total (gross) maintenance needs (net costs plus support collections) during the month.

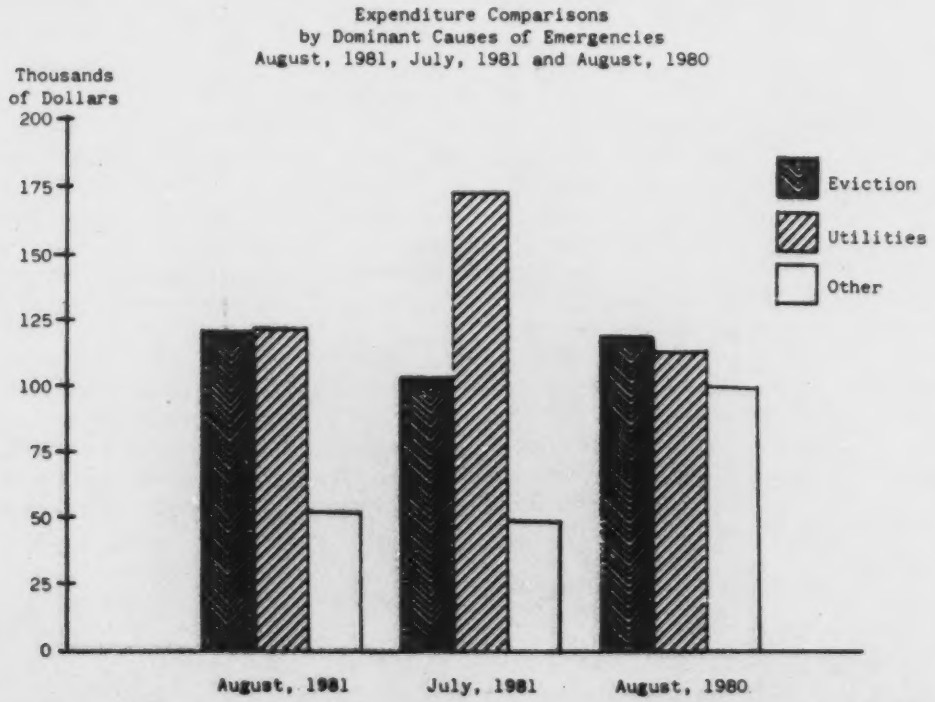
Applications approved totalled 7,033, down 930 (11.7%) from July, 1981. Reopened cases comprised 73.0% of all approvals and represent the continuing return of stepparent cases to active status. Normally, slightly less than half of the total approvals are reopened cases.

Closings reached 6,962, an increase of 584 (9.2%) above July. The number of closings were only 71 fewer than the approvals. Closings are again reflecting the impact of the stepfather cases with 2,175 reported closed due to stepparent accepting full responsibility for stepchildren. Also, more cases (approximately 300 above average) were closed as a result of children no longer deprived of parental support or care.

Emergency Assistance (EA) - Expenditures totalled $327,759, decreasing $32,381 (-9.0%) below July and $65,501 (-16.7%) lower than in August, 1980. Utilities and evictions together were contributors to 73.7% of the total cost. The emergency labeled "other" which normally includes such items as food, moving, purchase of furniture and appliances, major home repairs, costs related to marital discord, repair of appliances, and stolen cash or checks accounted for another 16.1%. The remaining 10.2% in payments were distributed between the causal factors of fires, death, floods and storms, civil disorders, strikes, illness, accident, emergency fuel, migrancy and unemployment. Approximately two-thirds of the total costs were incurred by AFDC families. The magnitude of the expenditures for AFDC families lies with the urban counties, which paid out $173,209 or 80.1% of the state's total emergency assistance costs for these families. In contrast, the rural and the suburban counties spend a larger proportion of their payments for families other than AFDC.

Cases receiving assistance descended 184 (13.4%) below July, 1980, and were 426 (26.4%) fewer than in August, 1980. Two factors were primarily responsible for the sharp reduction in the annual trend (8-81 vs. 8-80). They are the emergencies of unemployment and other. Compared to one year ago, the number of cases receiving assistance declined 65.2% in the unemployed category while falling 50.4% for those reported in the "other" emergency category. However, cases receiving aid as a result of utilities and eviction comprised 66.0% of the total cases in August, 1981 in comparison with 52.2% for August, 1980. No significant change occurred in the remaining types of emergencies.

Utilities and eviction are the two most prominent emergencies for the two types of EA families. Both emergencies comprise 69.0% and 76.1% of the total costs for each of the "non-AFDC" and "AFDC" families, respectively. Non-AFDC families expend only 6.8% of their total outlay for emergencies listed as "other", whereas AFDC families utilize 20.9% of their entire monies for this purpose. The following bar graph displays expenditures for the three most utilized emergencies of eviction, utilities and other for August, 1981, July, 1981 and August, 1980.



Minnesota Supplemental Aid (MSA) - Fewer recipients and higher expenditures marked the MSA Program during August. Recipients numbered 10,205, a decline of 87 (0.8%) from July and 189 (1.8%) fewer than one year ago. Expenditures advanced $25,374 (2.7%) to $978,073, a level 87,714 (9.9%) greater than August, 1980. This expenditure, the second highest on record, suggests that million dollar MSA monthly totals will soon be a reality.

The average recipient payment totalled $95.84 and resulted from increased expenditures in the blind and disabled categories. The major contributors to this advance were Hennepin and St. Louis Counties, who experienced greater initial and corrective payments within these categories. Hennepin County alone posted a $14,445 advance in initial payments and $11,206 more in corrective payments. St. Louis County also had $3,666 more in adjustments and was accompanied by the counties of Anoka, Dakota and Washington, along with rural counties of Beltrami, Itasca, Nicollet, Polk, Steele, Wabasha, and Winona. This advance, to a large degree, was offset by Ramsey County. The large change in corrective payments is attributable to rate adjustments for board and care residents.

General Assistance (GA) - Participation in the GA Program continued its expected decline. Application activity decreased compared to July. The number of applications received was 33.1% lower and the total applications on hand decreased by 31.9%. The number of applications disposed of decreased by 33.3% to 2,622. Of these 1,882 (71.8%) were approved. The 1,882 cases added in August brought the total cases eligible to 10,536. This was a decrease of 15.3% compared to July. Payments were made for 8,431 (80.0%) of the eligible cases. There were 4,256 cases closed which left 6,280 eligible cases continued to September. Since this is 27.4% lower than the number of eligible cases continued to August, it denotes a further decline in September.

The decline in GA program participation may be seen in the following tables. There has been a substantial decline in recipients in the suburban counties, notably Benton, Sherburne, and Stearns (i.e., St. Cloud vicinity). Note also that recipient declines are more than payment declines which resulted from cutting the lower payment cases from the GA Program as well as from the 6.9% increase in the state standard effective in July.

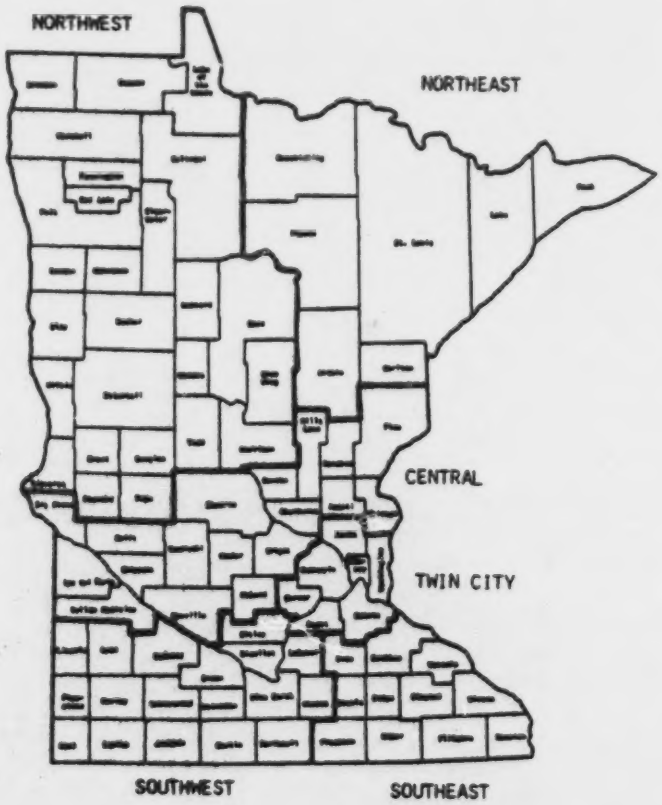
GA Trends by Area of the State
July 1980 through August 1981

Recipients

	Southeast	Southwest	Twin City	Central	Northeast	Northwest	Totals
July 1980	609	868	8,867	1,122	2,117	1,061	14,644
August	665	949	9,966	1,161	2,202	1,130	16,073
September	644	874	10,352	1,177	2,215	1,074	16,336
October	629	883	10,750	1,250	2,242	1,101	16,855
November	659	849	9,845	1,179	2,315	1,122	15,969
December	721	974	10,570	1,313	2,373	1,325	17,276
January 1981	777	1,045	10,961	1,433	2,561	1,432	18,209
February	803	1,099	11,423	1,390	2,479	1,500	18,694
March	854	1,081	11,866	1,354	2,765	1,524	19,444
April	812	1,056	11,562	1,367	2,742	1,464	19,003
May	773	998	10,758	1,208	2,549	1,497	17,783
June	793	946	10,799	1,193	2,517	1,427	17,675
July	525	592	6,735	793	2,386	903	11,934
August 1981	363	433	6,619	492	2,341	674	10,922

Payments

	Southeast	Southwest	Twin City	Central	Northeast	Northwest	Totals
July 1980	$ 80,660.97	$123,809.17	$1,197,446.13	$140,358.53	$322,750.76	$127,172.24	$1,992,197.80
August	85,650.35	141,540.71	1,587,975.62	161,310.42	339,142.95	134,910.06	2,450,530.11
September	100,095.57	126,415.65	1,667,049.00	164,701.49	339,646.49	137,472.66	2,535,380.86
October	86,333.68	125,678.16	1,687,098.67	167,130.21	337,499.22	141,448.52	2,545,188.46
November	91,401.89	124,251.49	1,667,069.98	165,977.34	342,498.32	149,675.34	2,540,874.36
December	102,378.24	141,824.13	1,762,364.61	189,573.73	371,460.33	175,537.75	2,743,138.79
January 1981	119,689.63	157,299.28	1,811,771.59	193,033.98	399,804.36	187,829.56	2,869,428.40
February	119,009.95	165,578.02	1,887,268.46	196,717.45	392,115.06	198,938.25	2,959,627.19
March	128,602.39	168,342.56	2,001,661.29	205,054.64	437,416.32	203,479.47	3,144,556.67
April	120,309.08	163,435.21	1,949,782.74	196,348.38	441,312.95	191,737.31	3,062,925.67
May	114,218.46	145,505.60	1,807,739.42	168,877.44	415,230.50	209,461.55	2,861,032.97
June	117,869.55	141,495.42	1,815,615.40	173,035.39	401,405.82	182,185.57	2,831,607.15
July	79,120.89	86,997.72	1,257,531.20	114,790.57	395,345.62	120,722.86	2,054,508.86
August 1981	64,002.09	68,786.68	1,207,175.23	85,654.81	277,655.84	119,066.14	1,822,340.79



Medical Assistance (MA) - This program posted increases in recipients (2.0%) and payments (9.9%) during August. This change is somewhat deceptive for it represents care for residents of state institutions. These payments were conspicuously absent during July. The inclusion of this population in August's MA roles added 2,469 persons to the total and represented $5,369,706 in expenditures.

Recipients numbered 126,672 in August. This was 2,529 (2.0%) more than July but 1,869 (1.5%) under one year ago. Outpatient hospital care was a factor behind this increase advancing 5,169 recipients (34.0%). Payments totalled $54,279,930 and represented an increase of $4,902,849 (9.9%) from the previous month. By comparison, they were $3,182,926 (6.2%) higher than August, 1980. Although most of the payment advance was attributed to greater state institutional payments, other changes were also evident, particularly payments for Outpatient Hospital up $320,531 (35.0%), Home Health Service up $147,599 (94.7%), and Physician/Osteopathic Service up $343,755 (14.0%). However, Inpatient Hospital costs were $849,240 (14.0%) lower, thereby moderating the overall cost advance.

The number of recipients eligible for MA totalled 229,035 in August and represents a continuance of the trend brought about by larger numbers of AFDC recipients.

During fiscal year 1980, monthly eligibles averaged 224,457 recipients. By comparison, August's totals were 2% higher. The AFDC category during August reflected most of the increase, although this was partially offset by an 11.7% decline in the Needy Children category. The following table compares the number of eligible recipients for August and compares them against the previous fiscal year in each eligibility category.

Comparison of MA Eligible Recipients

Category	August, 1980	F.Y. 1980 Avg.*	Change #	Change %
Aged SSI	11,352	11,396	- 44	(-0.4%)
Blind SSI	391	394	- 3	(-0.8%)
Disabled SSI	15,659	15,628	31	(0.2%)
AFDC	154,235	149,397	4,838	(3.2%)
Aged - Medical Only	27,936	27,496	440	(1.6%)
Blind - Medical Only	137	140	- 3	(-2.1%)
Disabled - Medical Only	8,573	8,278	295	(3.6%)
AFDC Related	2,367	2,228	139	(6.2%)
Needy Children	8,385	9,501	-1,116	(-11.7%)
	229,035	224,457	4,577	(2.0%)

*Does not add due to rounding

August, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Total Recipients*	Total Expenditures*	Average Expenditures* Per Person
August, 1980	221,533	$ 72,088,594	$ 325.41
September	221,992	71,512,262	322.14
October	225,491	72,903,076	323.31
November	221,832	65,142,709	293.66
December	230,822	85,125,243	368.79
January, 1981	228,931	74,320,705	324.64
February	231,474	75,220,485	324.96
March	234,684	72,163,521	307.49
April	234,026	77,976,900	333.20
May	232,204	87,645,420	377.45
June	237,271	88,723,949	373.94
July	221,302	70,925,329	320.46
August, 1981	223,889	$ 75,686,904	$ 338.06
September, 1981 through August, 1981	**Average** 228,660	**Total** $ 917,346,503	**Average** $ 334.32
		Average $ 76,445,542	

*Foster Care transferred to Social Services effective July, 1981 and excluded from AFDC totals beginning July, 1981.

Supplemental Security Income

August, 1981

TRENDS

Month and Year	Recipients	Expenditures	Average Grant
August, 1980	31,573	$ 3,548,645	$ 112.39
September	31,500	3,540,854	112.41
October	31,440	3,542,627	112.68
November	31,331	3,535,907	112.86
December	31,201	3,521,770	112.87
January, 1981	31,131	3,524,639	113.22
February	30,977	3,512,318	113.38
March	30,961	3,516,065	113.56
April	30,909	3,523,040	113.98
May	30,842	3,518,118	114.07
June	30,622	3,874,520	126.53
July	30,509	3,859,774	126.51
August, 1981	30,410	$ 3,854,989	$ 126.77

TRENDS

Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Average Net Per Case	Expenditure Per Person
August, 1980	52,243	142,170	$ 17,257,442	$ 330.33	$ 121.39
September	52,870	143,676	17,199,984	325.33	119.71
October	53,460	144,793	17,396,988	325.42	120.15
November	53,603	144,944	17,363,383	323.93	119.79
December	53,856	145,634	16,954,516	314.82	116.42
January, 1981	54,471	147,664	17,420,320	319.81	117.97
February	55,062	149,657	17,916,037	325.38	119.72
March	55,565	151,408	17,662,085	317.87	116.66
April	56,011	152,775	17,877,980	319.18	117.02
May	55,784	151,830	17,856,864	320.11	117.61
June	55,441	150,497	17,098,676	308.41	113.61
July**	54,020	148,484	18,180,900	336.57	122.44
August, 1981	54,449	150,262	$ 18,278,801	$ 335.70	$ 121.65

*Does not include Emergency Assistance

CASES AND PAYMENTS BY SUB-PROGRAM

	Families	Persons	Children	Caretakers	Total Net Payments	Avg. Grant Per Case	Per Person
Total	54,449*	150,262	97,402	52,860	$18,278,801	$335.70	$121.65
AFDC Protective Money Payment	705	1,863	1,392	471	263,418	373.64	141.39
AFDC Payments to Unemployed Parents	4,604	19,324	10,214	9,110	2,128,168	462.24	110.13
AFDC Payments to Unborn	2,057	3,280	2,057	1,223	502,727	244.40	153.27
AFDC Payments to Other Children	47,889	125,795	83,739	42,056	$15,384,488	$321.25	$122.30

*Unduplicated total; therefore, families by segment will not add to total.

SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTS

Type of Special Needs	Cases	Persons	Payments
Major Home Repair	11	40	$ 2,277
Repair of Major Appliance	18	70	1,356
Utility Recaps	--	--	--
Supplementary Dietary Needs	20	58	1,181
Replacement of Essential Household Furnishings or Major Appliances	189	623	20,784
TOTAL	238	791	$ 25,598

**Foster Care transferred to Social Services July, 1981.
August Foster Care totals of 1,250 cases, 1,639 children and $578,042.77 excluded from August AFDC statistics.